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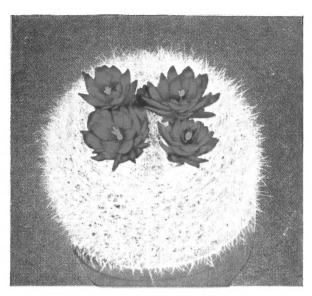
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RUBY EASTERLILY CACTUS

Echinopsis kermessina

This lovely free flowering plant is a very fine new introduction. The flowers are large, 6" to 7" long, 3" to 4" across of a very intense ruby red. It flowers in early spring over a period of some two months or more. A vigorous grower with strong root system it likes a rich porous soil and when growing a good supply of water. Give it a sunny location. Plant may reach 6" in diameter. Small plants 75c.  $2\frac{1}{4}$ "  $-2\frac{1}{2}$ " \$2.

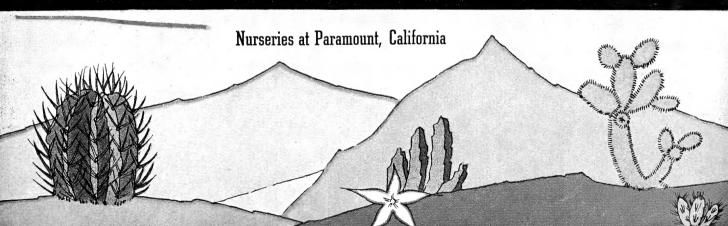


SCARLET BALL CACTUS

Notocactus haselbergii

This handsome and scarce cactus is seldom seen in collections. A plant very easy to grow and flower. In early spring the spectacular crown of scarlet flowers makes its appearance lasting for weeks. On mature plants I have counted 40 blossoms. The short bristle-like glassy white spines are harmless. A rich porous soil, moderate watering and sunny or partly sunny location suit it. Native to southern Brazil. Small plants **50c. Large 2"-2½" \$1** flowering specimens **\$2.** Nice 3 year old 1½"-2" **\$1** 

# JOHNSON CACTUS GARDENS





#### VIEW IN SEEDLING CREENHOUSE

Young cacti and succulents from the time the seed is sown until they are ready for their first transplanting require far more moisture and care than at any other time during their lives. After the seed is germinated it is brought into this drier house and when ready is transplanted into boxes called "flats" which you see on the benches.



#### SPECIMEN GARDENS AND LATHHOUSE

Specimen gardens are maintained for some of the larger cerei and other cacti and succulents. From them we learn more about minimum temperature requirements and they serve also as sources of seed and propagating material. Three large lath or shade houses provide shelter for some of the succulents as well as the Orchid Cacti and other epiphytic kinds. Most of the smaller cacti are to be found in our raised cold frames where they are kept clean and fresh.

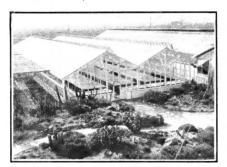
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year in the nursery business. To our many patrons throughout the world we gratefully extend our thanks for their support. The harvest of letters from distant friends certainly is one of the most satisfactory features of having a hobby for a hobby is a common denominator and knows no barriers of space or creed.

In America as well as throughout the world there is a lusty and growing interest in Succulents and Cacti. In the scientific world many expeditions have been sent out to study the plants in their native surroundings and several hundred new species have been described and thus added to fancier's collections and let's be frank, perplexities! As I write, three separate American groups are in the field in Central and South America.

In California far greater use is being made of desert plants in landscape design and plantings. The old rock pile that used to represent a cactus rock garden is gone, peace go with it, and a sensible blending and use is being made of the vast array of material available.

This year our catalog lists more plants in larger sizes which represent specimens three to five years of age. Discerning fanciers know that such plants are at or near flowering size, a great advantage. Also a great many more plants are listed though not as fully described. Every collector should have reference books at hand to turn to when further details are wanted about a plant.



#### **GROWING HOUSES**

We invite our patrons to visit our nurseries whenever they are near Los Angeles. Much of interest will be found to plant enthusiasts as we have a very large collection of aquatic plants, several acres, as well as hot house foliage plants, etc. The Cactus and Succulent fancier will find hundreds of rare items not listed in current catalogs as well as many new hybrid groups.

#### HOW TO REACH OUR NURSERIES

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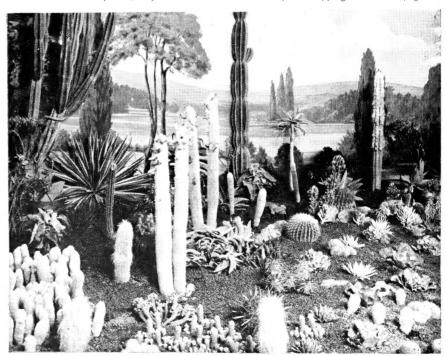
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OUR CACTUS EXHIBIT AT INTERNATIONAL FLOWER SHOW

A part of our exhibit in the International Flower Show. For those who are interested in the plants exhibited. At upper left the Peruvian Apple Cactus, Agave ingens var picta, Cereus dayamii, Aloe dichotoma, Cephalocereus palmeri. Bottom left: Pseudoespostoa melanostele, Cephalocereus senilis. Middle center: Cleistocactus hyalacanthus, Espostoa lanata, Echinocactus grusonii, Bottom center: Mamillaria elongata, Euphorbia caput medusae. Right side various Echeverias and Dudleya brittonii. Not shown in the picture were mass plantings of various colored leaved succulents and groups of various odd or curious succulents and cacti.

# New or Rare **SUCCULENTS**

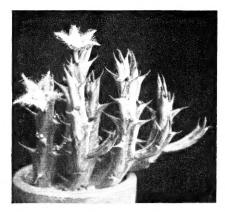
The variety among succulents is legion. There are so many interesting groups to choose from and each of these groups has many curi-ous, bizarre or beautiful species and varieties. Many succulents are very well known such as Hen and Chickens, others are known only to fanciers while others are so rare that they are found only in a few collections on earth.

This year we are able to offer quite a few rather scarce items which should prove of interest to collectors. On this page are a number of attractive plants seldom offered or quite new. Throughout the catalog are others which fanciers will recognize. A great many new plants have been received recently. Quite a number of these are really worthwhile but are still not plentiful enough to offer our many friends. Among them are several Ceropegias with striking flowers; Adenium with large pink blossoms; Crassulas; Anacampseros; Adromischus and many others.



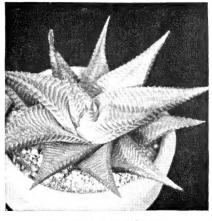
#### **ELKHORN EUPHORBIA**

One of the best of the crested plants, Euphorbia lactea cristata, makes a handsome specimen. It is of slow growth usually but when given a rich open soil, plenty of warmth and sunlight it grows rather rapidly. The plant is deep green with silvery markings and grows upright but with many convolutions. I have only good sized plants to offer those with fine, multiple fans, Large 5"-6" fans \$3. Large 4"-5" fans.......\$2



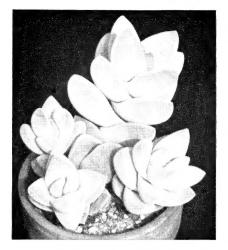
#### WOOLLY STARLETS

An odd prettily marked plant, Stapelia dummeri, has odorless, pale yellow, very woolly flowers. It differs from most other Stapelias by bearing its bossoms at the top of the stems. The red splashed stems grow fast during the heat of summer. 60c



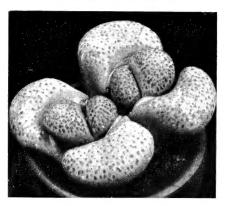
#### FAIRY WASHBOARD

A scarce plant, Haworthia limifolia, is also a very pretty one. It grows very slowly and is seldom seen in collections. Like all Haworthias it likes a very open soil as the roots are rather more succulent than most plants.



#### CRASSULA MOONGLOW

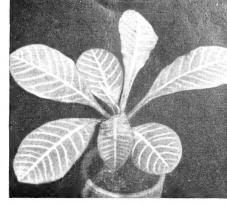
Several hybrid Crassulas have appeared recently and this is one of the best. It grows freely and can make a plant quite a bit larger than C. cornuta which it somewhat resembles. We think you will like it. Will do well with some shade. Each...



#### LITHOPS PEERSII

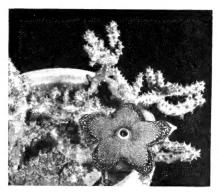
#### LITHOPS FLORIS ALBUS

A brightly colored species reddish suffused with brown with pencilled markings on top of the flat, connate pairs of leaves. Flowers in years each.....



#### BARRED EUPHORBIA

This prettily lined species has long been a vorite. Euphorbia lophogona formerly known 



#### **EDITHCOLEA GRANDIS**

One of the rarest and prettiest of the odorless Starfish Flowers. It is quite different in the way it grows from all other Stapeliads being much branched above, the green prickly stems tinged purple. The lovely blossoms 3½" in diameter are borne in summer. They are the warm rich reds of a fine Ispahan Persian rug the petals margined by vibratile hairs. It likes a very open but rich soil with very moderate waterings. A warm moist atmosphere during summer seems to suit it well. during summer seems to suit it well.

#### STAPELIA GETTLEFII

A handsome species with 4"-5" reddish 

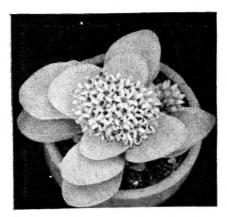
#### FLAME PUSSY EARS

A new plant just introduced to American gardens, Cyanotis kewensis belongs near the Tradescantias. A nice addition to trailing or partly climbing windows plants. Leaves are deep olive green above and somewhat hairy; beneath they are wine red. The rosette is 3" to 4" across and bears creeping stolon-like branches from the base. Flowers are rose colored. From Malabar. Easily grown. Likes a moist, open compost and part shade.





#### PLOVER EGGS



MORGAN'S PINK CRASSULA

A pretty plant with white leaves bearing a tight cluster of rose pink blossoms that last a long time. Likes a light position and an open or spongy compost with moderate watering. An easy plant to grow and flower.

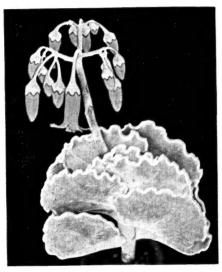
75c Nice flowering size ...



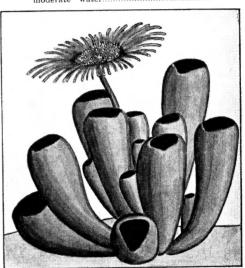
An all time favorite, naworthia attenuata is deservedly popular because of its attractiveness and easy culture. The warts on the leaves are much whiter than shown. Beautiful rosettes, eventually forming clusters. Sandy loam with peat or leafmold which their roots can easily penetrate, partial shade, and moderate water.



#### UMBRELLA FLOWER



Lovely pink bells in summer and fan shaped leaves with crinkled margins describe Cotyledon undulata. The leaves are covered with white powder Pot in sandy or porous loam, watering moderately. Light, airy

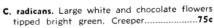


#### BABY TOES

#### **CEROPEGIA**

May be grown on a small trellis or stake as they are often twining. Like a rich porous soil moderate to generous watering, sunny location.

Ce	ropegia	cat	ffroru	m.	Each		40c
C.	debilis.	Na	rrow	leav	es		40с
C.	haygartl	nii.	Red	and	white	flowers.	Climber 75c



C. sandersonii. Large white flowers like parachutes the top spotted green. Tall climber. Pretty, unusual ......75c

C. radicans x sandersonii. Hybrid......75c

#### **HESPERALOE**

Hesperaloe parviflora is a yucca-like plant with long, rather slender leaves the margins with curling white threads. It forms a vague rosette and eventually a stemless cluster. The bell-shaped, rosy red bossoms are an inch long, 3/4" wide borne on 6' graceful wandlike stems. Each flower panicle blossoms all summer producing scores of bells. 3 year old, each...



STAR CACTUS



STONE FACE

Closely resembling stones, Lithops are beau-tifully marked. 35c



OX TONGUE

Spotted leaves like huge tongues. Tall spikes of pink blossoms. 35c



AIR PLANT

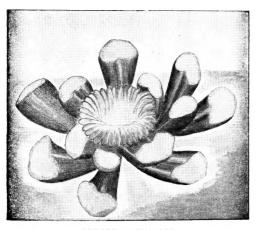
Young plantlets at the leaf tips! Handsome orange blossoms. 35c 35c



**DUMPLING CACTUS** 

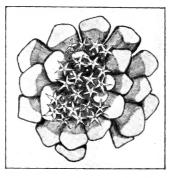
BOWL COLLECTION F1. FIVE LOVELY PLANTS FOR A DISH GARDEN.....

\$1.40



#### **PURPLE BABY TOES**

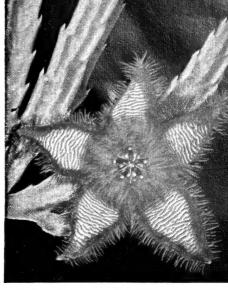
A lovely easily grown small "window plant" flowers from spring until fall. The leaves are round, short and flat-topped the tips formed by translucent pale green widows. Frithia pulchra is similar in habit to Baby Toes. A very interesting South African succulent that should be in every collection. A light but not too sunny location. Porous soil, moderate watering. 75c Flowering size potted.



#### FOAM FLOWER

Pretty rosettes of blue-white leaves, each leaf triangular and flattened at the tips so that the whole plant is flat with the soil surface. A rare mimicry plant from S. Africa. Crassula mesembrianthemopsis is easily grown. A tight cluster of white flowers appears in November. Give a sunny position and an open or sandy soil. Easily grown.

CRASSULA SCHMIDTII. Short stalks of bright rose-pink flowers in Oct-Nov. Plant forms tight clusters of





#### SCARLET PAINT BRUSH

Brilliant red flower clusters 6" across in September and lasting a month. Rochea falcata is always attractive with its grey white paired leaves. Give generous treatment and a sunny location. 40c



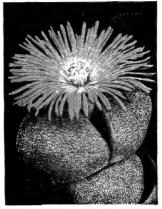
#### STARFISH FLOWER

The commonest of the Staple-lias. Stapelia variegata is one of the easiest to grow and flowers throughout the hot summer. Flow-ers mottled with brown. A rich porous soil watering moderately to generously during hot weather. 40c Winter on dry side. Each.



#### MEXICAN FIRECRACKER

This charming Echeveria likes cool weather and should be planted only in spring or fall. The leaves are covered with plush-like white hair. Brilliant red and yellow blossoms in spring.



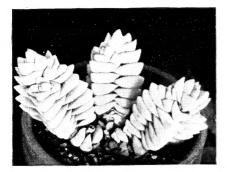
#### SPLIT ROCK

Imitating the rocks amongst which it grows, Pleiospilos nelii is one of the strangest African mimicry plants. It may grow to 3" in diameter with bright yellow-red blossoms in spring. Sunny windows, fresh air, sandy open soil. Easily grown. Small 35c. Flowering size specimens....



PAINTED LADY

Pretty rosettes of gray-green, each leaf powdered and tipped with red. Quickly forms clusters of babies and in summer flowers profusely with lovely orange bells as the picture shows. Echeveria derenbergii does well in a sandy soil with moderate watering and plenty of ventilation. The colors are brightest in a sandy soil. Each.



#### CRASSULA CORNUTA

**CRASSULA JUSTI-CORDEROYI.** Small cluster forming plant with narrow dark leaves. Short clusters of rose pink flowers appear in Oct.....43c

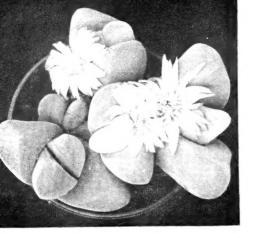
CRASSULA CORYMBULOSA. Pale green leaves turning dark red in full sun. Tall spikes of pale flowers. Excellent as a pot plant or in rock garden plantings in frost free areas..................40c



OAK LEAF

A handsome form of Kalanchoe beharensis with deeply cut leaf margins. As with other forms of this species, the leaves are soft and plush like, the upper surface chestnut brown and the under surface silver. A magnificent landscape plant in frost free areas and a perfect pot plant in indoor plantings.





#### GIBBAEUM DISPAR

....75c



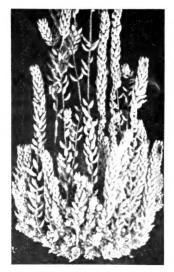
Animal or vegetable! Catching root as the stem touches the soil, it loops up and over as though it were alive. Handsome mottled stem. Kleinia pendula prefers a sandy soil, moderate watering, and sun. Scarlet flowers.

#### KLEINIA

Members of the Sunflower family with aromatic leaves and stems, often glaucous blue. Small tassel-like flower heads.

KLEINIA REPENS. Bright blue leaves and stems. Fine pot plant or ground cover in frost free areas

**KLEINIA HERREIANUS.** 'Gooseberry Kleinia'. A creeping plant with fat berry like leaves with longitudinal translucent windows........................50c
K. articulata. 'Candlestick Plant'. Round, smooth stems, jointed and when leafless looking like candles .....



#### BURRO TAIL



#### ARAB'S TURBAN



# At Right: YELLOW STARLETS

A pretty dwarf plant Piaranthus pillansii is related to the Starfish Flowers with erect, star-like blossoms. Free flowering. Clusters ...



Lovely pale green rosettes of cupped leaves tinged with red in winter. In sandy more sterile soil the leaves tend to color brighter. With age the plants form clusters. Does well in full sun or part shade. Tall spikes of pink flowers in spring.



#### KALANCHOE

Leafy succulents of easy culture. Often with attractively colored leaves or bright flowers. Light potting soils and plenty of sunlight assures best coloring.

Kalanchoe Tom Thumb. A pretty dwarf never more than 3"-4" tall with dark green foliage and clusters of bright crimson flowers. An ex K. Crimson Kalanchoe 40c K. Brilliant Star, Bright crimson flowers....50c K. gastonis bonnieri. Magnificent panicles of K. Kewensis. Narrow dark leaves and tall clus-

K. millotii. A new species with silvery plushlike leaves and stems.......75c

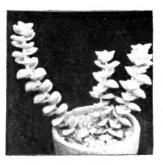
K. figureidoi. Pretty, powdered white leaves.

K. aliciae 40c. K. miniata 40c. K. fedtschen-koi 40c. K. prolifera 50c. K. dyeri 50c. K. ob-tusa 50c. K. crenata 50c. K. somaliense 40c.

#### HOYA

Handsome vining plants with pink or white flowers in large clusters. Treatment as for African Violets.

**Hoya bella.** Lovely in hanging baskets or pots. Exquisite soft pink blossoms. Each...............\$1 Hoya paxtonii. Similar to above......\$1 Hoya shephardii. Dark narrow leaves.......\$1 H. imperialis. Tall vine. Pink......\$1.25 H. cinnamomifolia. Almost round leaves.....\$1 H. keysii, Pale green leaves......\$1



#### BEAD VINE

#### JOHNSON'S JUNGLE MIX

6 quart box. Post free....\$2.00

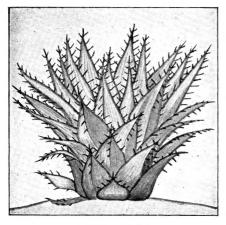


#### CRASSULA DECEPTRIX

Handsome white leaves as though carved from alabaster. A rare plant thriving in very sandy soil in a bright airy situa-



CRASSULA HYBRID VELVETA



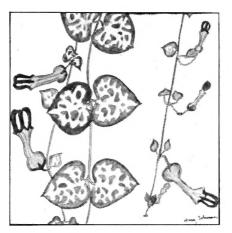
#### LACE HAWORTHIA

Haworthia setata forms a small rosette each leaf margined with tiny white teeth giving it a lacy effect and lined on the face with transparent longitudinal windows. Does well in a sandy compost or just clean sand and peatmoss. Moderate watering, partial shade.

Nice, 3 year old plants. 40c

#### HAWORTHIA

A large and varied group of succulents	from
S. Africa.	
H. altilinea	50c
H. batesiana	.50c
H. bicarinata	50c
H. coarctata	50c
H. cymbiformis	.50c
H. emilyae	.75c
H. jansenjana	



#### HEART VINE

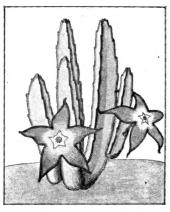
Ceropegia woodii or Rosary Vine has leaves prettily marbled with silver. The stems hand down in long trailing curtains to several feet often producing small tubers on the stems hence the name Rosary Vine. Likes generous treatment and grows well in shade not too dense. Potted tubers 3 for \$1.

limifolia, See cut	
magnifica	
pilifera	
turgida var turgida	5
umbracticola	5
skinneri	5
minima	5
mirabilis var.	



#### PYRAMID CRASSULA

Crassula pyramidalis is a rare collector's plant with hard, tightly overlapping leaves forming almost square columns. With age they branch and in early fall produce heads of white, very fragrant, "shaving brush" flowers. They prefer a porous soil with some leafmoid and a light airy position. When soil is dry water moderately. Not difficult. Nice potted, 2" plants.

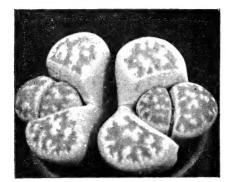


#### PINK STARFISH

#### ROYAL STARFISH

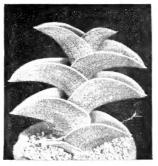
Stapelia nobilis is easy to grow and flower. May be grown in a 4" or 5" pot and produces its 6"-7" purple and yellow barred, hairy flow-

ers during the summer.



### LITHOPS SUMMITATUM





#### CHAIN PLANT

Grows quickly in partial Tradescantia navicularis has pink flowers on trailing shade. 35c stems. Each...



#### KALANCHOE ORGYALIS

The upper surface of the leaves is covered with fine golden hairs the under silvery white. A pretty plant from Madagascar.

Treat generously.

75c

#### LITHOPS

The Stone Faces are beautiful, curious and interesting small succulents from S. Africa. They are "mimicry" plants as well as "window" plants and are often brightly colored. The plants are top shaped consisting of a pair of fat turgid leaves with flat tops which are spotted or lined with various colors. They closely resemble in color the soil or rocks among which they are found. They flower in the fall and grow slowly during the winter resting during June, July and August. 10 varieties may be planted together in a 5 inch pan.

Lit	hops alpina	35c	L.	kuibiscensis	.40
L.	aucampiae		L.	lericheana	40
L.	aurantiaca4		L.	leslei	35
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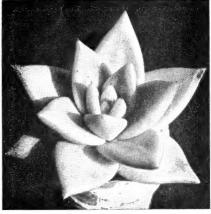
#### COLLECTION F2

5 varieties unlabelled.....\$1.35 COLLECTION F3

# SNAKES HEAD EUPHORBIA

E. caput medusae is a handsome flowered species with bracts garnet red and white forming a cap tipping each arm.

75c 75c



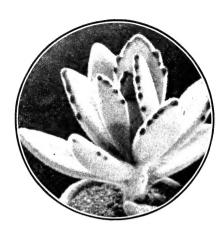
Echeveria agavoides makes a fine specimen. The thick leaves are pale green, stiff as though carved from jade. The flower spikes in late spring have orange bells. Grows to 4"

10 varieties unlabelled.



#### CHENILLE PLANT

Each leaf and stem clothed with soft velvety hairs, with every leaf margined in dark red. Colorful the year around, it is brightest during fall and winter months. Flowering in midwinter with large waxy bells of rich crimson, Echeveria pulvinata is one of our prettiest succulents. Sandy soil with leafmold, watering when dry. Likes a cool, light airy situation. Each



#### PANDA PLANT



#### JOHNSON'S BI TABLETS



#### NECKLACE VINE



#### COBWEB PLANT

Kleinia tomentosa is a choice collector's item. The stems and leaves are pure white entirely clothed in a snowy, downy felt. Grows freely branching at the base. Sandy loam, sunny location. Moderate 50c

KLEINIA FULGENS
Succulent roots and stems, leaves broad. A fine shrubby species with orange red flow-



#### STONE FACES

The Stone Faces are amongst the most curious and strange of all plants, for they imitate the pebbles among which they grow both in shape and coloration. They are also "window" plants. Some are white, others red, green or brown. They bear their bright blossoms in autumn. Sunny location.

35c



#### **GOLD WORT**

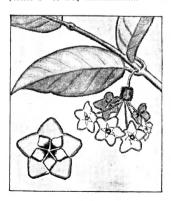
Aloinopsis schoonesii is a rare, slow growing plant for the collector. Flowers bright yellow. Roots thick blunt. Sandy soil moderate and some sun.

Aloinopsis triebneri. A large plant with finely speckled leaves. Roots large, blu t. Flowers bright yellow. Each

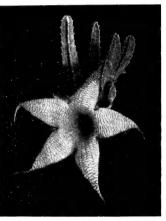


#### **EUPHORBIA OBESA**

A curious cactus-like South African succulent with globose body. Even more intriguing is the bearing of male and female flowers on different plants. Most happy in a porous, loam soil moderate watering and in sun or light position. A pair is needed for seeds. NICE PAIRS \$2.25. Single plants 1" to 11/4"

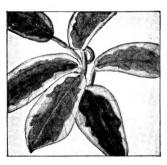


#### WAX VINE



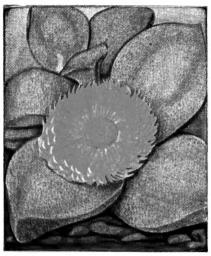
#### GIANT STAR FLOWER

Stapelia gigantea bears enormous flowers more than a foot in diameter! Easily flowered in a 4" or 5" pot. Clustering plants 6" tall. A rich porous soil, moderate waterings, full sun. Flowers during the summer. Plants that should flower each.



#### TRICOLOR WAX VINE

#### HOYA CARNOSA EXOTICA



#### AFRICAN LIVING ROCK



#### PEPPERMINT STICK

The brightly striped Senecio gregori is a fine addition to our succulents. It increases by underground stolons and grows quickly. The plants become tall, forming nice pots. Generous treatment, Each.....

#### SENECIO SCAPOSUS

Rosettes of long cylindric leaves each covered with white woolly tomentum. Tall spikes of yellow daisy-like flowers. A rich porous soil very moderate watering part shade or full sun. Each.

#### AEONIUM NOBILE

A grand flowering plant. Large rosettes of thick, deep green, pebbled leaves. Immense pyramidal panicles of yellow blossoms. A very scarce plant for real fanciers. Rich \$2.50 porous soil, semi-sun. Nice, each......

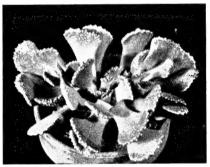
#### ROCHEA COCCINEA

One of the most brilliant of flowering plants Stems with 4-ranked leaves 6" to 12" the branching from base. Each stem produces 2"-3" cluster of brilliant carmine red blossoms. When well grown this is a superb plant. It likes a rich porous soil and thrives in a cool atmosphere. Moderate to generous waterings and a light airy location, Each.....

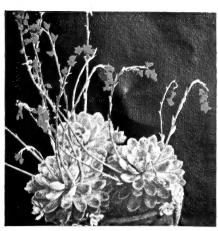


EVERBLOOMING CHRIST THORN
This splendid distinct variety E. splendens var. bojeri as now identified flowers all the year much more abundantly than the old species. Flowers deep red, plant bushy. A rich porous soil, moderate to generous

50c watering, sun or part shade. Potted...... **50c** 



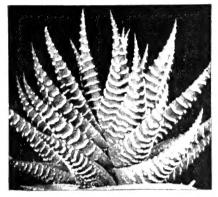
#### GIANT JEWEL PLANT



#### MEXICAN GEM

MEXICAN GEM

Handsome Echeveria elegans has spoon shaped leaves of powdery white. Beginning as a single head, it quickly forms clusters, each head crowned in spring with dusky rose blossoms. Easy to grow, it is brightest when given plenty of light and ventilation. Each.



The ever popular that the raised lines banding the pointed, dark green leaves. All the Haworthias like some shade and moderate watering. A sandy soil with peatmoss and leafmold is best. They have rather thick,

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#### DESERT ROSE

Bears large deep pink blos-soms. Trichodiadema densa is an African succulent much prized by fanciers. The root system is almost tuberous so it needs a quite sandy compost, a light position and to be watered only when soil is dry. The blossoms are very bright.

#### JOHNSON'S CACTUS FOOD

		bag50c
2	oz.	bag \$1.00

#### CURIOSITY COLLECTION F4

PEANUT CACTUS

Large, bright red flowers. Easily grown, fast form-ing many headed specimens.

#### **PINCHUSHION**

#### BIRD'S NEST

asily form-small, it grows Long slim nipples with curling yellow quickly in sun or part shade. 35c Large. 50c Large. 50c

#### RED DRAGON

#### CHRISTMAS

# The six plants below. A colorful selection to brighten up your kitchen or breakfast nook. Easily grown in pot or bowl. All six, \$2.25 value, only..... FLOWERING PINCUSHION

The Mamillarias are very satisfactory for the beginner. Easily grown, flowering in spring with handsome carmine flowers.

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#### RAINBOW BUSH

Rainbow hued in yellow, cream, pink and green each dainty leaf hugging the fat, mahogany red, jointed stem. Portulacaria afra var. tricolor is a charming plant that will stand out among the plainer greens. Light loam soil, generous treatment, don't keep too dry.

40c



#### **PUSSY EARS**

A creeper with hairy green leaves and brilliant small orange and purple flowers. Cyanotus somaliensis is easily grown. 40c 40c

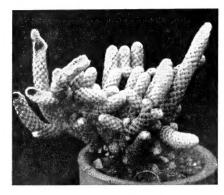
#### MIMICRY PLANTS

#### COLLECTION F5

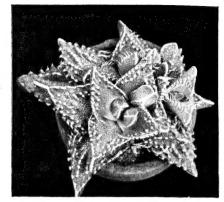


Unique are these unusual mimicry plants which so closely resemble the rocks among which they grow. They may all be planted together in a 5" pot or dish in quite sandy soil or sand.

unlabeled kinds as Stone Face, Split Rock, Flowering Stones, etc. \$1.50 ······



#### ANACAMPSEROS BUDIERIANA



#### KNOBBY TICER JAWS

This is a new, selected form with prominent knobs and large yellow flowers in October and November. Forms nice clusters. Easy to flower in a sunny location. Faucaria tuberculosa superba likes a quite open sandy soil.

50c



#### WOOLLY SAND ROSE

The tiny Anacampseros to-



#### PINK CHAIN

Sedum sieboldii has large terminal cluster of bright pink blossoms and round, blue leaves. Plant deciduous winter hardy in U. S. Does best in rock garden or hanging basket. Each.



#### CORAL BEADS

Each head a jewel of bright red. Brightest when grown in poor soil or sand and in full sun. Sedum stahlii grows too fast in rich soil. The leaves are easily detached and if put on dry soil will eventually form a new 35c

#### **EUPHORBIA**

The Succulent Euphorbias like a rich, well

Eu	phorbia acruensis	.\$1
E.	aggregata alternicolor	\$1
E.	atrispinosa	.\$1
E.	barteri	.\$1
E.	bergeri. Nice heads\$3	.50
E.	canariensis, 15" to 18"\$3	.50
E.	carlsonii\$1	.25
E.	caput commelini. Large specimens 6" to 8"\$5-\$7	.50
E.	clavarioides truncata. Large specimens	\$5

drained soil to do their best. Give them a very light or sunny position. They grow most during hot summer weather. Water when dry but do not keep wet.

E.	aggregata alternicolor	\$1
	atrispinosa	
	barteri	
E.	bergeri. Nice heads\$	3.50
E.	canariensis, 15" to 18"\$	3.50
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## E. frankiana ......\$1 E. ferox ......\$1 E. fruticosa \$1 E. grandicornis \$3.50 E. griseola ......\$1.25 E. heterochroma \$1.25

E. coerulescens \$3.50

E. horrida ......\$1 E. nivulia .....\$1.50 E. stellaespina \$1.50 E. submammillaris ......50c E. suzannae ......\$1.50 E. squarrosa .....\$1.50

#### **DINTERANTHUS** PUBERULUS

Bright yellow flowers in fall. Leaves white tinted pink. A charming African Plant. 35c

#### KARROO ROSE

The lovely Lapidaria margaretae with carved white leaves flushed with rose. Golden blossoms borne in September..... 35c

#### FLOWERING STONES

Dinteranthus inexpectatus closely resembles the white pebbles among which it grows. Golden flowers. Fine...... 35c

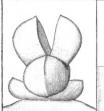
# **GIBBAEUM**

Curious mimicry plants with rosy lilac flowers and very unequal leaves. Form clusters of fat leaves. Each...40c

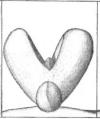
#### **PLEIOSPILOS** HILMARI

#### PEBBLE PLANT

The Rimarias are like smooth green chert pebbles. Cluster forming. Flowers white. Each......35c





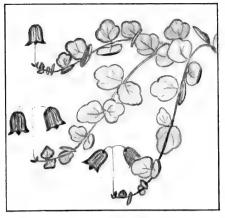


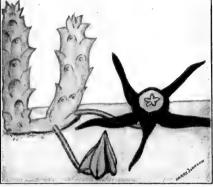










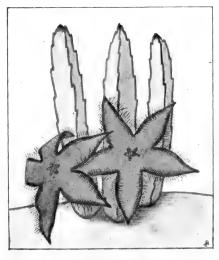


**DUVALIA** 

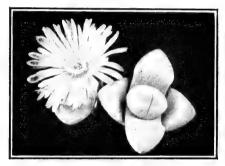
**Duvalia corderoyi.** A very handsome species with large flowers the raised annulus in the center densely covered with long pinkish-purple hairs. Very slow growing. Rare collectors item Each

Duvalia elegans. Flowers almost black the entire surface covered with dark purple hairs. 





#### STAPELIA BELLA

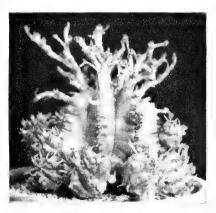


#### KARROO ROSE

#### **ADVICE TO PATRONS**

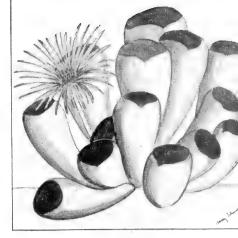
The best months to order **Succulent** plants are the cool spring and fall months when they will arrive in excellent condition. During the hot summer months of July, August and early September it is difficult to ship them without loss of leaves. We want you to be pleased with your plants and during the hot summer risk of loss is considerable. of loss is considerable.

Cacti are not bothered by the heat and hence may be shipped at any time.



#### **EUPHORBIA MELOFORMIS**

This interesting succulent looks like The growth that looks like spines is flower spikes. Likes a sunny location, moderate watering. Each.....



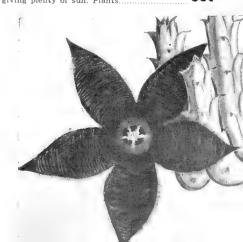
#### ORANGE BABY TOES

#### STARFISH FLOWERS

There are a great many species of Stapelias native to S. Africa and all of them are interesting. Some of the flowers—which are always on small plants—are huge, more than a foot in diameter. Many flowers are covered with hairs, others are barred or mottled. They like a rich porous soil and moderate watering. Full sun to flower well.

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Sta	apelia ambigua fulva	.75c
S.	angulata, Handsome flowers red with yellow center	.60c
S.	cantabrigensis. 4"-5" reddish	.65c
S.	cooperi. Heavily spotted yellow and	
	maroon	.50c
S.	desmetiana. Large plant, big flower	\$1
S.	flavirostris. Large plant, large hairy	
	flower	\$1
S.	gettleffii. A beauty. Large plant	\$1
S.	glabricaulis. Pretty	.75c
S.	hirsuta unguipetala	.50c
S.	leendertziae. Black globe shaped	\$1
S.	maculosoides. Spotted. Handsome	.50c
S.	mutabilis. Fringed	.75c
s.	namaquensis. Rare. Central disk	
S.	pasadenensis. Large. Reddish	
S.	parvipunctata, Rare. Slow	
S.	peglerae. Yellow and brown	
S.	pillansii. Black, fringed	
S.	plantii. Handsome	
S.	pulvinata. Bearded Starfish	
S.	schinzii. Black	
S.	senilis. Handsome, Large plant	
	verrucosa conspicua. Fine!	
S.	wilmaniae. Black globe shaped flowers	\$1

#### **BLACK STARFISH FLOWER**





#### **GLORIA**

#### CARE OF NEWLY POTTED ORCHID CACTI

When you receive the plants the roots will be in a plastic bag which keeps them moist yet gives them air. When your potting soil is ready it should be barely moist so you can sift it among the roots. Use about a 3" or 4" pot for the first potting. Small pots are best at first as they allow for more air which encourages new root growth. Pot only moderately firmly, seeing that the compost is on the coarse side, not too fine. Water well, then place the plants in a well lighted window with ventilation. They like fresh air. A temperature of 60° is excellent, 10° lower or higher is acceptable. Keep barely moist, not wet. In a month new roots should be established. Later they should be put in 5" or 6" pots lished. Later they should be put in 5" or 6" pots to finish their summer growth. If you have a sun porch or greenhouse place the pots in a light position but protect at first from the midday sun to prevent scalding. Cacti do not wilt like ordinary plants but draw upon stored water reserves until roots are started.

#### POLDI SVETNIC

Star-like white blossoms the inner petals spreading. Petals numerous, slender. A charming free flowering plant. Use a rich but porous soil with some peatmoss or rough leafmold to make it spongy. Keep moist but not wet. Partial sunlight. Each...



# DRCHI

ORCHID CACTI or Epiphyllums bear the showlest blossoms of all cacti. Their culture is similar to other house plants such as geraniums. They like a well lighted window and a cool rather than hot atmosphere. The parents of these complex hybrids are native to the mountains of Mexico and Guatemala where it is cool most of the year. There is a long dry season often with considerable fog, or really clouds which in the tropics cling close to the mountain-sides. The rainy season may be quite wet but fairly short.

Orchid Cacti like a very open or porous compost to grow in. A close sticky or clay soil will hold water too long and the roots will suffocate. A good compost to start with is crumbly loam, leafmold, gritty sand and peatmoss in about equal proportions. Some would add a portion of well rotted cow manure. While they may be planted at almost any time they are most active in mid-spring. Water enough to keep them damp at all times. They do most of their growing in spring and early summer. In late summer and fall the stems are maturing and a little less water should be given. They flower during April, May and June always on last year's stems. During summer it is well to put them outside under a tree or on a partly shady porch as they will benefit from the fresh air and sunlight. will benefit from the fresh air and sunlight.

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In California during the past few years considerable interest has been taken in the improvement of Orchid Cacti. Many new varieties have been produced some of outstanding merit. Our own productions have been mostly in new combinations with other genera. Thus several new types have been produced which have their own characteristic flowers and plant forms. Many have ribbed, round stems and are suitable for grafted standards, hanging baskets or pots. They require the same culture as Epiphyllums but will grow with much more sunlight.

# LIST ACCORDING TO GENERAL COLOR PINK AND LAVENDER

#### NEWER VARIETIES

Ballerina. Deep rose blossoms of Empress type. Inner petals pale pink......\$2.50 Carnation. Lovely carnation-pink, rose eye. Broad overlapping petals. Strong grower \$2.50 DRAGONET. Coral blending to purple, throat crimson. Outer segments white stripe.....\$1.50 Frau Maria Rohl. Brilliant carmine pink. Empress type. Pot or basket......\$2 ...\$2 Melrose. Large buff-rose, base of petals Adonis, Large pink blossoms with violet Adonis, Large pink blossoms with sheen, rosy lilac center. Good grower.......85c
Agatha. Warm pink, cherry red center, satiny sheen. Free bloomer, good grower......85c
Argus. Handsome cup-shaped flower, salmon pink, red center. Late flowering........85c .....850 pink

Pink Nymph. Lovely saucershaped salmon pink flowers. Petals ruffled. Strong grower......85c Richard Diener. Huge rose pink. Inner petals apricot pink waved margins \$1.25

Rosetta, Deep red-pink shaped like a rose bud. Excellent basket type Saturnalia. Large clear pink blossoms with darker cerise cen-Welcome. Fragrant rose pink blossoms suffused pale lilac, darkscheherazade. Pink blossoms deepening to lilac. Fine free



**PADRE** 



### CHRISTMAS CACTUS

Grandmother's favorite. Beautiful Fuchsia-like showers of dainty pink blossoms. Zygocactus truncatus blooms from Christmas on. The flowering time is variable. Use a porous soil with leafmold and sand. Our Jungle Mix is excellent if you are inclined to overwater. Keep damp in a bright window shaded from 



#### **EMPRESS**

This lovely variety is quite different from the others. The buds are pink all during their development and the flowers last in perfection for a long time. They make a charming corsage. An old favorite for window gardens. In Europe they are a familiar sight in cottage windows. Each.

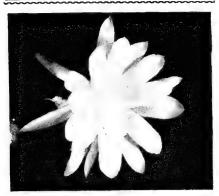
#### ORANGE TO AMBER

Bright orange. Large flower with Bliss rounded petals. Strong grower......85c Flamingo. Brilliant amber orange with pink overlay. Center violet. Splendid......85c Mon Cherie. Beautiful. Petals feathered with red. Lustrous ......85c

#### JUBILEE ASSORTMENT **COLLECTION F6**

7 named Orchid Cacti in a fine range of 

#### RAINBOW ASSORTMENT COLLECTION F7



CONWAY'S CIANT

A huge flower with broad crimson outer petals. Outer petals overlaid with crimson and violet. A lovely blossom. The plant is a vigorous grower and free bloomer.



# HERMOSISSIMUS

Sunburst, Large flower burnt orange within, vivid violet throat. Good grower.....\$1

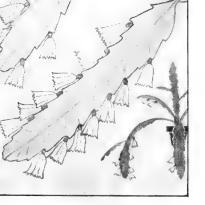
Sun Goddess. Huge 10" flower, brilliant burnt orange with golden sheen. Lovely....\$1



#### PROFESSOR EBERT

#### ANDRAE





A great favorite. Rhipsalis houlletiana has gracefully arching branches set with pretty white bells in spring. Likes a shady but light position, porous soil and generous waterings in summer. Culture as Orchid Cact......

Viviana. Handsome deep red-purple opening widely. Good basket variety......90c 

WHITE and YELLOW WHITE and YELLOW

Ben's Laura. Many petalled semi-double flower. Petals chiffon-like, pearled clear to throat, opening very flat. Late bloomer...\$3.50

La Campana. Fine large white with yellow outer petals. Good basket plant...\$2.50

Marina Special. Large flower each petal heavily feathered with clear yellow on white ground. Beautiful! Vigorous plant....\$3.50

Polar Bear. Handsome large white petals tipped with yellow. Outer petals recurved, lemon yellow. Good grower....\$2.50

Alice Roosevelt. Large white with beautiful open form the white petals with yellow edging, outer petals dark amber.....\$2.50

Easter Morn. Fragrant. Inner petals white, outer flaring yellow and gold.....\$1

Eden. Fragrant. Very large pure white. Outer sepals rich yellow. Handsome...........85

Condonii. Creamy white petals within. Outer deepening to yellow. Lovely..................90c 

APOROPHYLLUM "HALITO"

For those that enjoy the unusual this is a very lovely plant. The color is a brilliant scarlet the flowers of unique form. The plant may be trained upright or the round, ribbed stems allowed to trail. It blossoms from March to December having as long a blossoming period as any cactus I know. Culture as

\$1



# BRILLIANT TRICOLOR BLOSSOMS

**Pride of Bell.** Brilliant blossom. Inner petals orchid pink with light burgundy center. Outer petals orchid deepening to deep burgundy. Sepals rose orchid.

violet with lavender margins outer petals carmine. \$2.50
Anton Gunther. Blue-violet flower. Petals red-violet to lilac with white edge. Back petals red-violet.\$1.25
August von Szombathy. Inner petals with delicate violet stripe shading to pink, outer petals deep violet. Excellent for corsages. \$1.25
Friederick Werner Beul. Fragrant 10" blossoms petals with orange center stripe shading into violet and pale lavender with white edges. 90c
Paula Knebel. Large flower outer petals crimson, inner petals violet shading to lavender at edge with orange center stripe. \$1



VALENCIA

Inner petals orange yellow with violet throat. Outer petals deep orange red. A vigorous free blooming late season Orchid 90c

# RED VIOLET TO MAROON

**Blackamoor.** An outstanding deep red-purple flower the deepest colored of the Orchid 

Chauncey, Dark red-purple, Large flower, excellent quality. Vigorous plant. Fine!...\$2.50

Bambi. One of the most vivid blossoms imaginable. Brilliant fuchsia-red petals shad-

Alta Scott. Brilliant blossom. Petals deep red, margined purple to lilac. \$1.25

Mrs. Grant. Flowers predominantly purple with red outer petals. 85c

Scintilla. Brilliant, handsome blossom. A fine recent introduction. \$2.50

Montexuma. Fine orange flower with violet shading on petal margins. \$1.50

Orion. Rich scarlet with electric violet throat. \$1.75

#### **FANCIER'S SELECTION**

**COLLECTION F14** 

20 Cacti and Succulents of the better kinds such as Notocactus, Cereus, Mamillarias, etc., among cacti and Echeverias, Crassulas, Kalanchoes etc., among Succulents. A wide selection of types carefully chosen for beauty and successive and extended varieties. variety all standard cataloged varieties. Postpaid....



EARLY FLOWERING XMAS CACTUS

Bright salmon-red flowers much handsomer than the old Xmas Cactus. Zygocactus bicolor flowers early in October or November and is exceedingly floriferous. Even small plants persist in blooming. The stems or "leaves" are shorter and broader than Xmas Cactus, with long teeth which gave the common name Crabs Claw. Plant vigorous thriving in our Jungle Mix or very spongy soil. Small potted plants

#### CHRISTMAS CACTI **ZYCOCACTUS**

Christmas Cacti or Crabs Claw are well known old favorites but few people realize their several color variations and types of stems. All require the same care similar to Orchid Cacti, Light porous soil. Jungle Mix is recommended. recommended.

WHITE CHRISTMAS CACTUS. Z. delicatus, Flowers larger than Xmas Cactus pure white sometimes faintly flushed pink. Extremely free bloomer. A beautiful and very distinct plant. Flowers in November and December, Small 1-3. leaved plants ..

JOHNSON'S ELECTRA. A vigorous new variety with very large flowers of bright red pink. Flowering period in November and again in March. Small. \$1.50

JOHNSON'S VIVID. Intense scarlet-red very different from Electra. A lovely variety flowering in November and December, "Leaves" strongly toothed up to 8 at each node. Small plants

SALMONEUS. Thanksgiving Cactus, Salmon-red or scarlet flowers in November to Decem-

Small

See photo above.

#### JOHNSON'S JUNGLE MIX See page 18 for supplies



HANS REHM

Glistening, large 8" blossoms of claret-red 



MISTLETOE CACTUS

A pretty, compactly branched plant, Rhipsalis mesembryanthemoides has small white blossoms followed by mistletoe-like white berries. The short joints have slightly woolly areoles. Likes shade and should be kept moist. Use a very open, porous compost. Native to Rio de Janeiro, Brazil, Each.

#### **EASTER CACTUS**

Schlumbergera gaetneri flowers at Eastertime. The blossoms are  $1\frac{1}{2}$ "-2" in diameter, brilliant red in color. When well grown they can be unbelievably prolific in blooming carrying hundreds of blossoms an ethereal spectacle. The plants look and requirements are similar to the old Xmas Cactus.....

#### DISAPORA

# CHIAPORA

Handsome plants with the habit and appearance of Epiphyllum and thriving with the same care. The flowers are somewhat like Chiapasia but bright rhodamine purple in color. They are very free flowering the blossoms 2"-3" in diameter outer perianth recurved inner cup-shaped. Flowers borne in March and April. Vigorous habit.

#### **HATIORA**

The Hatioras are related to the Rhipsalis but bear their orange colored flowers at the stem tips. They grow easily and make fine specimens with the same care as Epiphyllums

liking plenty of moisture.

Hatiora bambusoides grows upright bearing a great many of its bright flowers

50c in March.....

# **ACANTHORHIPSALIS**

A genus of Andean cacti near Rhipsalis but 

#### **APOROPHYLLUM**

A very lovely group of Orchid Cacti hybrids which prolong the flowering season. They have round instead of flat stems and may be trained upright or planted in baskets. See illustration on opposite page. Culture as for Orchid Cacti.

HALITO. See page 14.

LAWRENCE. Soft salmon pink blossoms. Hybrid between Aporocactus flagriformis and

**ODALISQUE.** A hybrid between the beautiful rosy red Rosetta and Aporocactus flagri-

PINK BEAUTY. A lovely rose pink variety and a free bloomer. Grafted plants on Selenicereus each . ...\$1.50

TEMPLE FIRE. A large flowered variety with a long tube. Flowers fiery red. A unique and handsome plant. Crafted plants.....\$1.50

TEMPLE DUSK. Large flowered variety with long tube with stems up to 6' long. Flowers of an odd and pleasing color buff pink. Grafted plants. .....\$1.50

# SUN CEREUS HYBRIDS

#### **ERYTHRORHIPSALIS**

A small epiphytic cactus, E. pilocarpa, is related to Rhipsalis. The slender branches are many jointed the areoles with long white hairs. The flowers are borne at the tips, white 

#### RHIPSALIS

A large group of epiphytic jungle cacti. They are very diverse in appearance. Culture as for

Orchid C	
Rhipsalis	bolivianus50c
Rhipsalis	capilliformis50c
Rhipsalis	cassutha40c
Rhipsalis	cereuscula50c
Rhipsalis	clavata50c
Rhipsalis	crispata50c
Rhipsalis	crispimarginata75c
Rhipsalis	dissimilis50c
Rhipsalis	elliptica50c
Rhipsalis	fasciculata50c
Rhipsalis	grandiflora50c
Rhipsalis	heteroclada50c
Rhipsalıs	leucorhaphis75c
Rhipsalis	lindbergiana50c
Rhipsalis	lumbricoides\$1.00
Rhipsalis	micrantha50c
Rhipsalis	nevis-armondii50c
Rhipsalis	oblonga50c
Rhipsalis	pachyptera75c
Rhipsalis	paradoxa50c
Rhipsalis	pendula50c
Rhipsails	pentaptera60c
Rhipsalis	platycarpa75c
Rhipsails	pulvinigera50c
Rhipsalis	puniceo-discus50c
Rhipsalis	quellebambensis50c
Rhipsalis	ramulosa50c
Rhipsalis	shaferi50c
Rhipsalis	teres50c
Rhipsalis	tonduzii75c
Rhipsalis	trigona60c
Rhipsalis	tucumanensis75c
Rhipsalis	virgata50c
Rhipsalis	warmingiana50c
Rhipsalis	wercklei 75c



#### TEMPLE GLOW

Those who saw this bright flowered plant in blossom at our nurseries this year were enchanted with it. The plants were smothered with the colorful buds and graceful flowers which are pink within, the outer recurving petals orange. The stems are pendant and many reach 3' in length. Give it a light position but protected from the noonday sun, a very porous compost and moderate to generous waterings.

#### EPIPHYLLANTHUS OBOVATUS

A charming Christmas Cactus-like plant from Brazil. The plant looks like a tiny platy-opuntia but the flowers would be mistaken for Christmas Cactus. Treat as for Orchid Cacti. Each.....

#### RATTAIL CACTUS

#### **APOROCACTUS**

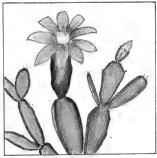
These are old favorites that always give a good account of themselves. Mexican plants each quite different from the other. The flowers of three of them are in shades of pink with curved tubes two red flowered species are larger with almost straight tubes. Culture as for Orchid Cacti though they bloom more profusely with more sunlight.

APOROCACTUS CONZATTII. A stout, vig-

APOROCACTUS FLAGELLIFORMIS. Rattail Cactus. This is the well known species....\$1

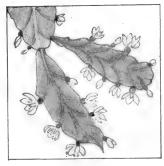
APOROCACTUS FLAGRIFORMIS. Golden Pink **Rattail.** To me this is one of the most beautiful of flowering cacti. The flowers are  $3\frac{1}{2}$ " 

APOROCACTUS MARTIANUS. Giant Rattail. Stems up to  $34^{\prime\prime}$  diameter and  $4^{\prime}$  long. Flowers large  $4^{\prime\prime}$  long with expanded corolla  $21/2^{\prime\prime}$  wide, scarlet red petals shaded with violet. .\$1.50 Small plants



#### SPRING BEAUTY

This charming small plant, Rhipsalidopsis rosea, is a stunning thing when in full bloom. The blossoms are rose colored and borne in profusion at the tips of the flat branches and are 1" to 1½" in diameter. 75c

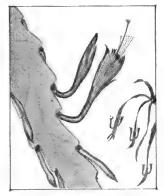


#### RHIPSALIS RHOMBEA

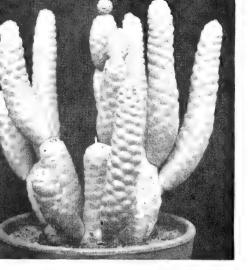
A coppery-green plant from Brazil. It grows quickly and with its colored stems and creamy flowers is quite distinctive and attractive. Upright but as the branches lengthen becomes pendant. A nice basket or ledge plant. Shield from midday sun.



#### CHIAPASIA NELSONII



An exquisite, small epiphytic cactus from Guatemala. The jewel-like, bright crimson blossoms are very freely borne in the spring. The plant looks like a small Epiphyllum bearing its blossoms at every crenation. Give soms at every crenat same care as for Orchid Cacti. Each



#### SPRUCE CONES

A spineless species, Tephrocactus strobiliformis, is native to Argentina. The fat smooth stems are pale green. They branch quite freely when given generous treatment.

40c
Full sun. Each.



#### DWARF TREE OPUNTIA

Opuntia vilis grows into a well branched tiny tree some 4" tall. This interesting Mexican species is of particular interest because of its tree-like growth. Plant it in a very sandy soil and water only moderately. Place in sunny position. Each.

OPUNTIA BULBISPINA
A dwarf species with ovoid joints forming upright much branched plants. The central spines are bulbous at the base. This curious species is very slow in growth.

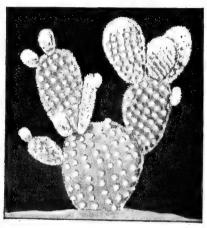


The Opuntias form one of the largest groups in the family, over 300 species, native from Canada to Patagonia. They are the only cacti which bear glochids. A great many have large and colorful flowers. Give them a sandy soil, only moderate watering and a sunny position.

**Opuntia ipatiana.** A small species with pinkish flowers followed by brilliant red fruits which remain bright for months.

Attractive ......50c **O. leptocaulis.** Slender much branched plant with very numerous  $1 \frac{1}{2}$ " spines enclosed in a golden sheath. Bright red fruits. Each....40c

O. pycnantha. A rare and pretty species from Baja California. Spines hair like, red-



#### ANGEL WINGS

Opuntia moelleri. Creeping, round j	oints
white spines	40c
O. opuntia. Native to the eastern st.	
Massachusetts to Virginia	.50c
O. polyacantha. From Colorado	
O. fragilis. From Wisconsin	
O. grandiflora. Free flowering. Bloss	
21/2" diameter yellow with reddish eye	.75c
O. tomentosa. Tall trunked almost spine	eless
tree. Red orange flowers. 4"-6" pads	.75c
O. basilaris alba. White Beaver Tail	.50c
O. bergeri. Large orange red flowers.	Free
flowering quick growing. Large pads	.60c



BEAVER TAIL

#### **OPUNTIA ASSORTMENTS COLLECTION F8**

#### WINTER HARDY PRICKLY PEARS COLLECTION F9

6 Hardy Opuntias from Canada, Wisconsin, Colorado, New York and Texas, Small species for rock gardens. Labelled

#### **CONSOLEA**

# QUIABENTIA CHACOENSIS

# MAIHUENIA POEPPIGII

Small Patagonian cacti forming mats with persistent leaves. Flowers yellow. Each.......\$1

# TACINGA FUNALIS

Tall wand-like canes with brown glochids. Flowers red. Brazil......\$1

#### PTEROCACTUS FISCHERI

Rare, small, round stemmed cacti. Argentina ......\$1



BOXING GLOVE

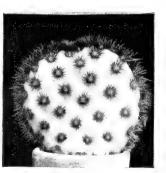
A curious form of O. fulgida with branches which split at the tips into crests. The crests become fans with age. Every plant crests. The common name is easily understood.

Each.



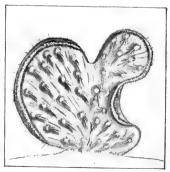
Though a true cactus few would suspect it. Pereskia pereskia has large leaves and waxy lemon scented creamy blossoms. In shipping it may drop its leaves which reappear.

COPPER LEMON VINE
This handsome plant is a variety of the Lemon Vine. The
leaves are of a coppery golden
color. It should be placed in a
very light position but not in
full sun. Give it a rich, porous
soil and more water than the
Lemon Vine. Pereskia
60c 60c



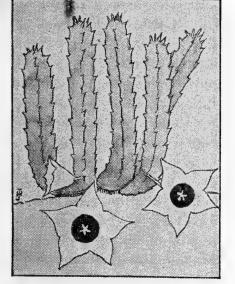
### OPUNTIA ACICULARIS

Handsome chestnut red glochids. Orange yellow flowers. Old pads grow more beautiful with added glochids. Be careful and handle only with vegetable tongs. Full sun, very sandy soil.



#### CRESTED OPUNTIA

Crested or cristate forms of cacti are among the most interesting and unique of all with their odd convolut-ed stems. Opuntia serpentina cristata never loses its cockscomb growth. Nice crests 50c and



## RED DRAGON FLOWER

The pretty Huernia schneideriana bears deli-cately beautiful flowers with velvet red petals and black center. Flowers all summer. Moderate waterings. Nice plants...

#### MIXED CEREUS SEED

A mixture of various types containing Lemaireocereus, Trichocereus, Cleistocactus, Cereus, Carnegiea, Eriocereus, Pachycereus, Cephalocereus etc. Seed germinates in 7 to 21 days, Best germinating temperatures 75c 70° to 75°. Per packet.....

#### PARAMOUNT HYBRIDS MIXED

This seed has been carefully collected from 100 of my better Easter Lily Cactus hybrids. They are the result of crosses between Echinopsis and Lobivia bringing together the lovely colors of Lobivia with much larger, grace-ful flowers of Echinopsis. This has created a whole range of new colors not found in either 

#### MIXED PINCUSHION SEED

Mamillarias are one of our specialties and this mixture contains a very pretty and representative group. They germinate readily and can be flowered in two years. You 

#### MIXED LIVING ROCK SEED

# **CACTI and SUCCULENT SEEDS**



Cacti and many Succulents are readily grown from seeds. Some fast growing species make attractive small specimens within a year but most are slower in attaining size. Seeds germinate quickly depending upon temperature. Many will be up in two weeks at 60°. Keep seeds wet until well sprouted. Full planting instructions with each package. We recommend our Jungle Mix for seed sprouting. Purchases of 50c er more of seed will be sent without packing or postage charge.

#### DE LUXE MIXTURE

A superb mixture made up of over 75 species. There are no weedy cacti included. They are collected from our own plants many requiring hand pollination. Our cactus seed is not to be compared with other offered assortments for it is not made up of native weedy kinds. The very small seed contains some of the prettiest kinds as Parodia, Rebutia, Notocactus, etc. Put up in two packets of fine and coarse seeds. The \$1.00

#### MIXED CHIN CACTI

The Gymnocalyciums are charming, bright flowered globular cacti from South America. Easily grown, many flower over the entire spring and summer. Almost all flower 

#### STONE FACES MIXED

The Stone Faces or Lithops are the prizes of any collection. These handsome and entirely novel plants prove of interest to everyone. The seed germinates very quickly and easily. You will have seedlings within two Weeks, After they are germinated put them in any light window. About 40c

#### NOTOCACTUS MIXED

Notocacti are all colorful spined plants with large blossoms. None are too large for the small window garden and all have stood 20° without cold damage. They are a diverse group, easily grown. Mixture contains Golden Ball, Silver Ball, Lemon Ball, Sun Cups, Indian Head over a dozen species. Package....

#### CHOICE SUCCULENTS

A mixture containing many rare and interesting species of Mesembrianthemums, Aloes Anacampseros, Echeverias, Cotyledons, Crassulas, etc. Seeds vary greatly in tiniest dust-like ones are often the in size. choicest ones. Sow with care.....

#### MINIATURE CACTI SEED

A choice mixture of the finest toy cacti, including rare Parodias, Notocacti, Gymnocalyciums, Mamillarias, Echinopsis, etc. Fifteen or more of the prettiest small growing types. Full instructions for planting. Per Packet.....

# ACID PLANT-CHEM

# The NEW SAND CULTURE for CACTI

Hydroponics is the scientific name for growing plants in culture solutions. The new science is rapidly proving its worth and for the cactus enthusiast has especial points of interest. One may grow his plants in clean porous sand, thus greatly reducing the danger of overwatering. This is of particular interest to collectors who live in damp, foggy or rainy places. Many choice or difficult plants thrive under this treatment, for cactus roots when well fed enjoy spreading in the air filled sand.



#### VITAMIN B-1 JOHNSON'S OWN B1 TABLETS For Use in Any Soil

Works miracles on Cacti and Succulents, often bringing refractory plants into bloom. Don't fail to use this wonder working solution. Better Homes and Gardens tests on cacti report wonderful success attained in

flowering slow plants. Particularly valuable to stimulate new root growth after transplanting. 75 Double Strength Tablets with Full 75c 75c instructions

#### PLANT-CHEM-SALTS

Now Grow Prize Cacti the Easy Way

Cacti grown in pure sand and watered regularly with this nutrient solution make a vigorous normal growth. Contains in scientific proportions the thirty chemicals needed in the growth of all plants.

owth of all plants 30c 16 gallon package, postid 400 gallon package,



# JOHNSON'S SAND CULTURE KIT

**COLLECTION H 23** 

Complete instructions on growing Cacti and Succulents in sand with nutrient solutions. Simplifies watering. Makes the most difficult desert plants of easy culture. Particularly useful where winters are long and damp.

Full instructions, 16-gallon package Plant Chem.
75 Johnson's B1 Tablets. 50c package Cactus Food......

\$1.35

#### **CACTUS and SUCCULENT** SOCIETY OF AMERICA



The Cactus and Succulent Society was organized more than 25 years ago to bring together those interested in these extraordinary plants and to publish a magazine which would provide a forum for the exchange of information and for the publishing

of new species and scientific data. The Journal, under the competent editorship of Scott Haselton, has well achieved these aims, and today is the world's foremost publication about these plants.

Everyone is invited to join the Society and to receive this splendidly illustrated magazine. It has many articles on new plants, stories on exploration trips to new localities, articles on culture, news of affiliated Cactus Clubs in every region of the U.S. Everyone interested in Cacti and Succulents will continue to find this a most interesting magazine.

Membership and Journal-Europe, Africa and Asia.....\$4.00

# **CACTUS SUPPLIES**

## JOHNSON'S CACTUS COMPOST

Mix With Your Own Sand and Soil

An economical compost for Cacti and Succulents which when mixed with equal or larger quantities of both sand and light loam makes a very suitable soil for all desert plants. Composed of our recleaned sclerophyllous leafmold, lime, gypsum in the proper proportions for all potted cacti. A light and bulky mixture, the same as we use in our potting soils for both seedling and specimen plants.

384 cu. inches......\$1.95 (May be ordered separately postpaid)

115 cu. inches enough for 6-10 quarts of potting soil ......75e

#### HARDWOOD CACTUS CHARCOAL

Useful in keeping cactus soils sweet and aerated. Helpful in heavy soil.

Per Quart. Granulated......50c

# ODDS and ENDS

COLLECTION F 15

We offer here an unlabelled assortment of Cacti and Succulents at a very low rate. 

#### CACTUS INSECTICIDES

ROTEX SPRAY, A safe spray for all Succulents and Cacti. Non-toxic to animals or humans, Rotenone, Pyrethrum and Pine Oil are the essential killing agents. For Mealy Bug, Scale, Aphis, Caterpillars, etc. Chart describing Cactus and Succulent pests with instructions for use. Rotex 2-ounce botte.....

VOLCK SPRAY. An oil spray for Scale and Mealy Bugs, These insects have a waxy covering which repels water but is easily penetrated by oil emulsions. We have used Volck for years and find it safe and reliable, 4ounce bottle with insect pest chart 50c and full directions.....

# SUPPLIES for CACTI

ERY few things are needed by the beginner in cactus culture but interest and a desire to form a collection. Loam for potting your plants may be found in field or woodland. Scrape off the litter and use the top 6" of soil. Sandy soils are best. Clean



sand may be purchased from builders or pet stores. For the city dweller and more serious collector we are offering a few things that may make their culture easier. The supplies we offer are those we ourselves use.

#### JOHNSON'S JUNGLE MIX

A new type of cactus compost for epiphytic cacti which prefer a very open, porous type. Plants develop a vigorous, extensive root system seldom seen in other composts. Expressly for Xmas Cactus, Easter Cactus, Rhipsalis, Chiapasia, Selenicereus and all epiphytes. It is also unexcelled for rooting all cacti and succulent cuttings. It may be easily modified into the finest potting soils you ever used for Philodendrons, Begonias, African Violets and all tropical house plants. It should be kept much more moist than old style composts as it dries rapidly. Full instructions for use or A new type of cactus compost for epiphytic it dries rapidly. Full instructions for use or modification.

Per bag 120 cubic inches (with orders) 75c 6 quart box. Postage free.....\$2.00 West of Mississippi River \$1.75

# JOHNSON'S CACTUS FOOD

A very effective fertilizer with a good organic base the ingredients of which are blended and proportioned to help your plants make normal, matured flowering growth. It should be scattered over the soil, a level teaspoonful to a 4-inch pot, two or three times during the growing season after the plants are well established. Use only during the growing season. Light applications once a month are more effective than heavy applications. effective than heavy applications.

12	ounce	bag	***************************************	50c
2	pound	bag	\$	1.00

#### **OUR SPECIAL CACTUS LEAFMOLD**

A recleaned, sclerophyllous desert leafmold, sifted, light and dry. Mixed with equal parts of both sand and loam, it makes a fine, economical cactus soil.

115 cu. inches enough to make 6-10 qts. potting soil 75c

#### CACTUS HELPS

COLLECTION S 100

Items to make the growing of your plants easier and more enjoyable. Included here are all the things to root and grow your plants except loam and sand. Sand may be purchased from coultry houses or builders. Loam from garden or hillside.

Book, "Cacti and Succulents and How to Grow Them."

75c package Johnson's Jungle Mix. Johnson's Cactus Food. Johnson's Cactus Soil Conditioner. Quart of Cactus Hardwood Charcoal. 20 double strength B1 tablets. 50 Painted Wooden Plant Labels.

7 Items to Make Cactus Growing \$3.00

#### PLASTIC LABELS

Permanent labels for plants poses a very difficult problem for the collector. Wooden labels while quite satisfactory do not of course last Indefinitely. These plastic labels last for many years and outside of copper or zinc labels, which are difficult to affix to the plant, are the best solution I have found to date. Lead pencil writing lasts very well indoors or in the greenhouse, Outdoors it eventually weathers off. Grease pencils are useless. Water proof India drawing ink has proven the best medium for permanent labeling.

31/2"x1/2". Plastic pot labels. Per 100 \$1.25 4½"x½". Large, shaped labels for outdoors or pots. Per 100......\$1.75

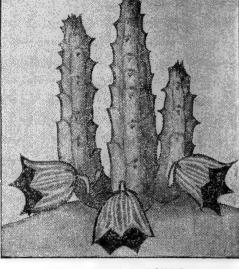
#### IOHNSON'S CACTUS SOIL CONDITIONER

Of great assistance in keeping cacti in good health, it is designed to add the minerals ordinary garden soils often lack. Desert soils are often high in mineral content, for there is little rain to leach them away. A spoonful of my Conditioner placed about a Cactus plant and stirred lightly into the soil will often bring an ailing one back to health. Mix it with your potting soils.

Small Size, 10 Ounces, Postpaid....... 50c Large sixe, 26 Ounces, Postpaid......\$1.00

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#### KENYA DRAGON FLOWER

A pretty Dragon Flower with dark crimson-red, bell shaped flowers, Huernia keniensis is an easy and vigorous grower and blossoms from spring to cold weather.

# TERMS

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Anywhere in the U.S. or Canada

During the cold months of December and January we do not like to ship east of the Rocky Mountains. Packages also get rough handling during the Christmas mail rush, We do ship to the Pacific Coast and South Western States all year.

50c packing and postage charge on orders of less than \$2.50 due to increased costs.

★ 10% postage charge on orders of from \$2.50 to \$5. Thus add 25c to \$2.50 or 30c to \$3 orders. This is generally only part of actual postage.

★ FREE delivery on orders of \$5 or more.

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No. C.O.D. orders accepted.

How we ship: By Parcel Post which delivers direct to your door, All plants are passed by State Horticultural Inspectors to insure freedom from insect pests. They are packed by experts in specially made cartons insulated from cold and clearly marked "Rush—Perishable Tender Plants."

OUR GUARANTEE is for safe delivery of clean, healthy stock correctly labelled. We cannot undertake to make good plants lost through improper care. If plants are injured in transit and we are notified at once we will give credit for all damaged items to be replaced with your next order.

#### FOREIGN SHIPMENTS

We ship regularly to practically every country not in the communist zone. We are familiar with most rules and regulations and with customs requirements and you will have

with customs requirements and you will have no trouble with our shipments.

Cacti travel well via parcel post. Succulents should go by air freight only.

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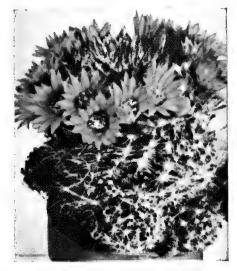
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# PINCUSHION CACTI

PINCUSHION Cacti are at home in the window garden. They never grow out of bounds and mature flowering specimens are easily grown in small pots. It is surprising how nature produces so many variations on a single theme. Certainly in the Mamillarias she has extended herself. Some are tiny globes, some grow 4' tall, some are solitary, some form clusters, others great mounds with over a hundred heads. There are snowy white ones, yellow, golden and green.

mounds with over a nundred neads. Inere are snowy white ones, yellow, golden and green. Some have long silky hair or snowy plumes, strong hooked spines or stellate clusters. Many bloom in winter. There are tiny flowers others almost dollar sized. White, pink, red and yellow flowers. CULTURE. The greater number do very well with ordinary care. A sandy loam soil that drains quickly as like all cacti they resent wet feet. They prefer a sunny window not too far from the glass and when possible plenty of fresh air. Water only when soil is dry which is a good rule for almost all cacti and succulents. If you can, in summer put them outdoors to mature the growth. Fertilizer should be lightly applied only in summer.



#### ROSE PINCUSHION

#### VARIOUS MAMILLARIAS

VARIOUS MAMILLARIAS
Mamillaria albescens. Clustering50c
M. albicomma. A rare beauty with snowy
white silky hair, white flowers\$1
M. angularis. Red Flowers embedded in
white wool. Flowering size 4 years \$1.
Small40c
M. armillata. Rare75c
M. aurihamata. White hair long yellow
hooked central spine50c
M. baumii. Photo page 28.
M. bicornuta. Large Clustering species 2"-
21/2" flowering size
M. brandegeii. Rare, Baja California75c
M. brauneana. Scarce. Pretty plant white
spines 1½-2"75c
M. bravoae. Handsome species with short
spines the red flowers from axils filled with
soft wool. Large flowering 5 years\$1
M. bucareliensis. Rare 11/2"75c
M. bullardiana. Forms nice tall clusters with
white flowers Rare 75c

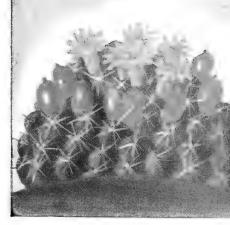
Mamillaria calacantha. Very pretty species

M. candida. SNOWBALL PINCUSHION	
pure white with closely set spines	60c
M. chinocephala. Pure white spines	crim-
son flowers. Nice 4 year old	50c
M. compressa. Mother of Hundreds.	Forms
large mounds. Red flowers	40c
M. confusa. Rare 21/2-3"	\$1
M. coronaria. White spines	50c
M. ebenecantha. Yellow flowers	50c
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pink blossoms freely borne. A beauty	form-
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short, Much white wool, Flowering	75c
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FISHHOOK PINCUSHION

A quick growing, free flowering species,
Mamillaria pygmaea is always a favorite. The
spines are harmless, one tiny hooked one tops
each nipple. Flowers abundantly over a long
period in the summer followed by numerous
bright red seed pods. Grows and flowers in sun
or shade. Sandy soil with moderate waterings.
Nice 2 year old plants
each......



#### **CORAL CACTUS**

The Coral Cactus (Mamillaria heyderi) is one of the prettiest with its circlet of coral-red beries and charming cream flowers. The berries burst forth ripe and scarlet taking only a few days to appear. Mature fruiting 2" to 50c

Mamillaria glochidiata. Very handsome, clustering, small species with long slender nipples, harmless spines. Lovely large pink blossoms. Fine! Each 50c

Mamillaria hamilton hoytae. A handsome single headed species that may reach 9" in diameter. Flowers pale red embedded in white wool. 4 years old 2"-21/2".....\$1

M. haseltonii. Very near to M. hahnianna. 

M. herrerae. GOLF BALL. Snowy white with fine harmless spines \$1

M. ingens. A new species, Each.....50c

M. kewensis. A tall growing species with hoary white head in age and brilliant red blossoms .......50c



#### A PENNSYLVANIA COLLECTION

Mrs. Robert McClelland of Barnesboro, Pa.. has a very nice collection many of which she bas also raised many from seed from our gardens, She has been quite successful in flowering her plants. You will notice they are put outside during the summer.

MEXICAN JEWEL COLLECTION No. F10 These four pretty and easily grown Pincushions may be planted in individual 2 or 3 inch pots or may all be planted together in a small ornamental dish 4 to 5 inches in diameter for a Dish Garden. They all do well in any well lighted window with moderate watering. The set for only \$1.10

POWDER PUFF (Mamillaria bocasana)

Like a bursting cotton boll, this little plant is clothed with silky, snow-white hair instead of spines, though it bears one tiny hooked one on each slender nipple. Cream colored flowers followed shortly by very attractive bright red, long, curved seed pods. A jewel among cactivery easy to grow in a well lighted window Sun or partial shade, moderate watering. Flowering and fruiting specimens large \$1. Small 50c.

#### LADY FINGERS

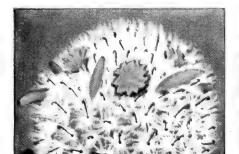
Mamillaria elongata schmollii A dainty gem and so easy to grow. Each little plant is a bright mosaic of golden yel-low harmless spines. Quickly forms fine clusters. Clusters 50c. Small.

#### THIMBLE CACTUS Mamillaria fragilis

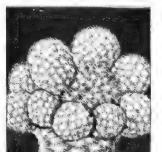
Like the "old woman who lived in a shoe," this little cactus has more children than she knows what to do with. Pure white, harmless spines and every white, harmless spines little baby will quickly grow. Each.....

#### RUBY DUMPLING

A quick growing cactus with bright red flowers and, with maturity, a hoary white head. A long time favorite. Large specimens \$1. Smaller flowering 50c.











#### SILKEN PINCUSHION



#### **GOLDEN STARS**

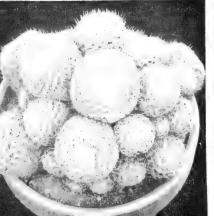
The lovely popular Mamillaria elongata should be in every collection. Spines bright yellow. Very easily grown and branches freely the first year soon making a nice specimen. Flowers yellow, fruit red. Sun or shade. Small single stems 35c. Nice branching.

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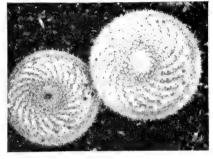
#### MAMILLARIA DEALBATA

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A white spined variety forming clusters. Blossoms bright red followed by scarlet fruits. Easily grown in a sunny window with moderate watering. Nice 35c. 4 year flowering.



Pretty microhelia. Pretty yellow species with pink or yellow flowers. A pleasing cluster forming species. Nice 4 year old plants...50c.
M. micheana. A very pretty finger-ike species with straw yellow spines. Forms many headed small microhelia. clusters species .....50c species. Red flowers. Specimens 3"
\$1. 2" 60c M. pentacantha. Rare. Black spined er forming by



DIADEM CACTUS

Don't fail to have this lovely flowering cactus. The bright carmine flowers are a beautiful crown nestling amongst the white wool and dark spines. Mamillaria werdermannian flowers in mid-winter and always attracts attention. uark spines. Mamilla in mid-winter and Small **35c.** Small flowering size......

M. pringlei columnaris. Distinct columnar 2"-3"
M. pyrrhocephala. Fire Crown. Large bril liant carmine flowers. Blooms for many
months $\frac{50}{\text{M. ritteriana.}}$ Handsome specimens. $\frac{21}{2}$ $\frac{51}{2}$
M. saetigera. Rare species
Mamillaria schmollii. A much branched white species
2½"
slender white spines central tipped black Each
M. trichacantha. Large white flowers. Hooked spines. Each \$1.25. Small



#### FEATHER CACTUS

Certainly one of the most unique and pretty of cacti. Mamillaria plumosa has its spines transmuted into curling feathers. Snowy white and as soft as down they completely cover the plant. Easily grown in clean sand with a little leaf-mold added. A bright airy situation protected from noonday sun. Large clustered specimens \$5. Smaller clusters \$1 to \$2.50.

50c Tall M. wiesingeri. Bright red blossoms. .50c spines. Clustering echinata, Yellow

heads

### CORYPHANTHA RADIANS



# MAMILLARIA PERBELLA LANATA



MAMILLARIA DURISPINA MAMILLARIA DURISPINA
A nice, rather large, variety
with brown and buff spines and
pretty red flowers during spring
and early summer. Plants may
reach 10" in height 3"-4" in
diameter. Give it a rich soil and
full sunlight to flower best. Large
specimens flowering \$1.50.

Nice plants 1½"-2".



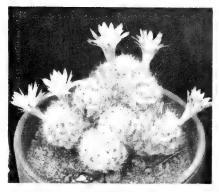


MAMILLARIA CELSIANA

A very attractive species with yellow spines each nipple with a woolly axil. Flowers bright red-pink. With age forms most beautiful large clusters. Specimens 2½" to 3½" \$1.25. 3 years 2" 75c. Nice 1"1½"

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#### MAMILLARIA BAUMII

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OLD LADY CACTUS

Mamillaria hahniana is an old favorite, a worthy consort of the Old Man Cactus. It bears curly white hair. Old plants become covered with long white hair. It is lovely in fall and winter when the bright red blossoms form a colorful ring about the crown each embedded in white down. It flowers with us outdoors even in freezing temperatures. Easy to grow in a sunny, airy position. 7 years old flowering specimens 3" each \$2.25. 2"-21/2" \$1.

#### SUPERB OLD LADY CACTUS

This variety Mamillaria hahniana superba has silken hair, longer and whiter than the species. Even smail plants have abundant hair. It grows more slowly than the species.

\$1.10



#### BIRDS NEST



JELLY BEANS
A small variety of the minima bears many branches each of which will make a new plant.

35c



GRAPE CACTUS

This tiny cactus bears an end-less quantity or "pups" each one of which will grow. Grows easily in sun or shade the cream flowers followed by scarlet berries.



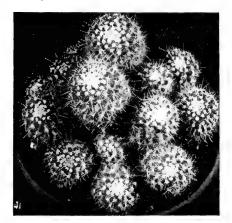
#### **BUTTER PINCUSHION**

Lovely large shining yellow blossoms. Dolichothele sphaerica bears long nipples which grow if planted. Forms nice clusters and blossoms freely if well rested in a cold room during winter. Nice plants 35c. Cluster \$1.25. Flowering 50c. 50c

#### **SOLISIA**

A small, globular, Mexican cactus the elonafted areoles bearing short, white, appressed spines. The plants are from ½" to ½" in diameter, blossoms pink. A rare, slow growing plant. Give it a rich porous soil, full sun and keep on the dry side.

\$1.25 \$1.25 Solisia pectinata.



## YELLOW RAINBOW PINCUSHION

#### **MAMILLOPSIS SENILIS**

A very lovely and interesting genus from the high mountains of Mexico. Related to the the high mountains of Mexico. Related to the Mamillarias but with large red flowers 2"-2½" across and long scaly tube some 2½" in length. The plants are handsome, densely covered with flexible white spines and with age form clusters of several heads. In the wilds they are often covered with snow in the winter. Give them a porous soil, sand and leafmold is suitable and a sunny but not too warm position. Moderate warm position. Moderate



# AN ARKANSAS COLLECTION

Mrs. Gladys Purdin of Jonesboro, Arkansas has about 100 varieties of cacti and succulents She writes that this year they had the most beautiful flowers she has ever seen. A collec-tion of cacti is a most interesting hobby. Arkansas

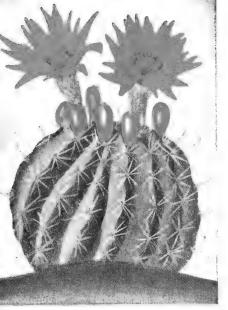
#### **DOLICHOTHELE**

Related to the Mamillarias but with larger yellow blossoms and the nipples not in spirals. They like a rich porous soil and a sunny loca-tion. One species is found in Texas.

Dolichothele longimamma. A Mexican species with large butter yellow blossoms.......50c Dolichothele sphaerica. See photo above.

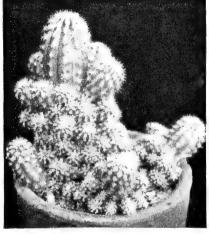
#### **HUMMEL'S POWDER PUFF**





#### STRAWBERRY CACTUS

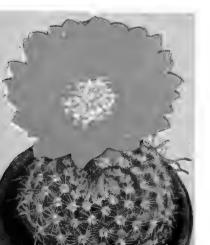
A free flowering Texas plant seldom without flowers in summer. Hamatocactus setispinus grows so easily it is a great favorite of all. Sun or part shade. Should stand low temperatures. Small 35c. Flowering



#### **ECHINOPSIS LILLIPUT**

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Parodia aureispina should be a "must" for even the smallest collection. A jewel with lovely golden spines and flowers. Even tiny plants flower. Part shade or sun. Grows easily and quickly. Very choice. Large 2½"-3" \$1.25. Smaller 2"-2½" \$1. Small 35c.



# CHINOCACTUS

This large group of cacti has been split into many smaller groups called genera. Mostly they are ball or barrel shaped only growing columnar with great age. Some of the cacti listed here are more closely related to the cerei but due to their shape and culture are included for convenience. They vary greatly in many ways. Some are tiny plants, marble size, others may be several feet tall and two feet through at maturity. They are found in either North or South America from Washington to Patagonia. Few of the genera are found on both continents. The North American genera include the true Barrel Cacti i.e. Echinocactus and Ferocactus and such others as Astrophytum, Ariocarpus, Leuchtenbergia, Hamatocatus, Ancistrocactus etc. South America abounds in them having many beautiful kinds as Notocactus, Cymnocalycium, Neoporteria, Islava, Oroya etc. Among both North and South American kinds are many smaller less known genera many of which you will find listed here. They are just as distinctive as the larger genera. Almost all the kinds have the ribbed stems. Since during the rainy season they must store a large amount of water this accordion effect allows them to swell up without bursting. The water is usually stored as a mucilaginous sap which the plant can draw upon during periods of drought. A few are found on hot sandy deserts but a great many are native to mountainous regions in brushlands or dry forests. Some of the Andean species grow at almost 15,000 feet. 15,000 feet.



#### VIOLET SEA URCHIN



See page 17 for various mixtures of Cactus and Succulent seeds. Interesting to grow. Directions on how to sow them are given with each seed order.



#### CHAPLET CACTUS

A pretty plant of dark blackish green, when fully grown the size of an orange. In late spring the produces a circlet of white blossoms and in summer large, red fruits. Strong spined, Gymnocalycium delactii, is very "cactusy" looking, a fine speciment type. Large flowering 6 year old specimens \$1.50. Smaller plants 40c.

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ROSE PLAID CACTUS

Gymnocalycium friederickii is our most popular cactus. Blooms all spring and summer. Handsome plant striped copper and green! Blossoms large, clear deep pink.

Flowering.

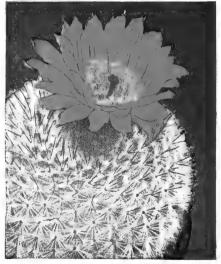
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#### MILA

Small cespitose plants with finger-like stems the low ribs bearing stellate clusters of short spines. Flowers yellow. From Peru.

Mila caespitosa. Many small ....\$1

Mila senilis, White spines...\$1.25 Mila robusta. Thick stems..\$1.50



SILVER BALL

An elegant silvery spined small cactus that always attracts attention. Notocactus scopa grows well under varied conditions. Bright lemon yellow blossoms which expand flat in the sunlight. Porous soil, moderate watering, sun or part shade. 5 year old flowering specimens 51. Small 35c. 3 year old.

#### **CULTURE**

Most of the Echinocactus group require much the same general care. They like an open porous soil through which surplus water quickly drains away. The compost should not be composed of fine silt-like particles. Some coarse material such as charcoal, gravel, and the coarse of the will help to keep



ticles. Some coarse material such as charcoal, gravel, spongerok (perlite), peatmoss, etc. will help to keep the compost open. Open composts allow free penetration of air to the roots. Under these conditions rot becomes unlikely if plants are kept a little on the dry side. A good soil compost is composed of 1 part crumbly loam, 1 part clean coarse sand and  $\frac{1}{2}$  to 1 part coarse leafmold or peatmoss to which may be added some perlite or coarse granulated charcoal. Every fancier has his own special mix so you may vary your composts to meet your own needs or limitations as the plants will thrive under many different conditions. thrive under many different conditions.

**Light.** The plants prefer a sunny location or window or at least a very light situation. In dark places they cannot be expected to flower though they will live.

Watering. Water moderately at all times. Let them dry out between waterings. Remember they come from dry regions. Give more water in summer.



#### **GOLDEN EASTER LILY**

#### **ASTROPHYTUM**

To this fine group belong some of the most popular and pretty cacti found in Mexico. They are very satisfactory growing under many kinds of treatment. They need an open, sandy soil and a sunny, airy location. Will stand temperatures to 15° above zero. Water only when

Astrophytum asterias. SAND DOLLAR. Astrophytum capricorne. See color plate page 29

Astrophytum ornatum. STAR CACTUS. See photo page 29.

A. ornatum mirbellii. Whiter variety......75c
A. myriostigma. BISHOP'S CAP. See color

A. myriostigma. BISHOP'S CAP. See color photo page 29.

A. myrio. coahuilensis. An unique variety with much closer set white stellate hairs, nice yellow blossoms, seed pods reddish. Smaller in growth than Bishop's Cap. Large flowering size 2"-2½" \$1. Smaller flowering size...50c

A. myrio. columnaris. Unique, tall slender variety quite white. 2"-3"....80c

A. myrio. nudum. Almost hairless green variety. Each ........\$1

90c mens

#### AREQUIPA

A fine group from northern Chile and Peru. Culture as for Notocactus.

Arequipa hazelae. A new species from Peru. Flowers crimson, long, tubular with expanded limb. Plant to 4" clustered. 1½"

#### AZTEKIUM

A rare, collector's plant 1"-2" in diameter, spineless with tiny ridges. Needs full sun and a very porous soil watering only when dry. Flowers pale pink.

Aztekium ritteri. The only species. Mature flowering imports each.....



Rebutia violaciflora is a very easily flowered variety for early spring. The blossoms are much brighter than the picture shows. It flowers from January to May. Give it a sunny or partly sunny location and moderate waterings. Clustered specimens \$1.25. Nice



# SAND DOLLAR

Entirely spineless, freely bearing 2" yellow blossoms with red throat. Likes a very sandy soil, watering lightly only when dry. Sunny location. Very scarce. 2½"-3" to 2" 90c

CACTI By J. Borg

The most complete book in the English language on cacti. 1,500 species fully described, 488 pages...



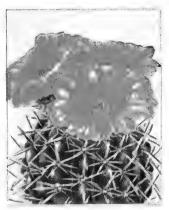
#### FRILLED LACE CACTUS

These plants bear gaudy, bright rose-pink blossoms 2"-21/2" across. They flower freely several times during the summer. Plants conical 2"-3" tail. In the wilds they take below zero weather. Echinocereus fitchii is charming. Small 35c. 50c Flowering.



WHITE CHIN CACTUS
Should be in every collection. A
real spiny plant with black, curved
spines. Charming white blossoms in
June. Gymnocalycium schickendantzii is easily grown, andy loam,
moderate watering, sun. Mature
blooming specimens
Smaller blooming \$1.
Nice plants.

50c



# LEMON BALL



GLORY OF TEXAS
Gorgeous crepe-like, brilliant pink
blossom 2"21/2" across. Blooms
from spring till fall, Our plants are
all mature flowering specimens with
dormant flower buds. Thelocactus
bicolor likes light soil or sand with
leafmold, moderate watering.
Specimens 75c. Nice 2"
flowering.



#### ORANGE COB CACTUS

A handsome flowered plant Lobivia famatimensis is quite variable in flower color ranging from yellow to crimson. The large blossoms have petals like crepe-de-chine. It enjoys a rich porous soil and generous treatment. Give it a sunny airy location. The roots are large, semi-tuberous so in winter give it a good rest to secure the most bloom. Large 4 year old blooming specimens \$1.25. Nice 2 year old plants.

#### **ANCISTROCACTUS**

Conical cacti to 6" tall having rather thick roots and long hooked spines. Native to Texas and Mexico. Of easy culture.

Wait-a-Bit. Ancistrocactus scheerii. The long central spine is hooked. This easily plant likes a sunny location. 2"-3"

60c flowering size.....

#### **EPITHELANTHA**

Most interesting small globular cacti from 1" to 3" tall with a myriad very tiny nipples and spines. The pinkish flowers are followed by a crown of brilliant red, erect fruits. Sunny position. Those listed are varieties of E. micromeris but distinct.

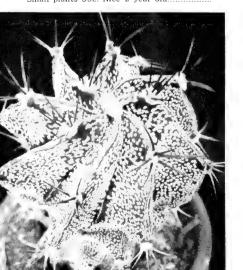
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#### **STENOCACTUS**

Permanent Wave Cacti. Stenocactus

#### STAR CACTUS

Every collection should have the handsome Astrophytum ornatum. An old favorite of easy culture. It is beautifully dotted with a myriad snowflakes. Even the tiniest plants are perfect minatures of the largest ones. Has large, lemon yellow flowers. Grows freely in a sunny location or with some shade. 4 years old \$1. 50c Small plants 35c. Nice 2 year old.



#### **ARIOCARPUS**

Thornless Mexican plants bearing hard tubercles and white or violet pink blossoms. Rare show plants. All our plants are mature flowering specimens. Extremely slow growing. Pot in sand with some leafmold added. Need a sunny airy location, watering only when quite

Ariocarpus fissuratus, Mexican Living Rock. See color plate page 29

See color plate page 29.

Ariocarpus furfuraceus. A fine large species, silver-green in color with large tubercles set in much wool. Large flowering im-

cles set in much wool. Large Howering \$2.25

A. kotschoubeyanus. Handsome, olive green species with flat-topped tubercles, bright violet rose flowers. Mature specimens. \$1.25

A. macdowellii. The smallest species. Handsome violet pink blossoms. \$1.25

A. retusus. The largest, with grey-green tubercles. Pale pink. Splendid specimen plant. Fach. \$2.50

A. scapharostrus, Long grey tubercles. Very

slow growing \$2

A. trigonus. A large species with long, triangular tubercles. Plants may reach 8" in angular tubercles. Plants may reach of the diameter. Each \$2.50

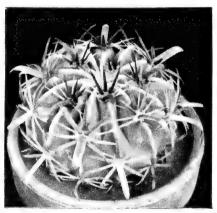
CACTUS AND SUCCULENTS
AND HOW TO GROW THEM
68 page booklet on the culture of both acti and Succulents. Plain information on care of your the care of your 50c

> LEUCHTENBERGIA PRINCIPIS curious cactus

A curious cactus with very long grey blue tubercles. It looks more like an agave than a twe cactus. Flowers 3'-4" wide yellow in color, fra grant and lasting about a week. The flowers and the arecles are borne on the ends of the tubercles the yellow spines being papery in texture. The plant develops a trunk with age. It comes from the very dry desert mountains of Mexico Large 6 year



#### LOBIVIA LARABEI



#### FISHHOOK BARREL CACTUS

Well known to collectors Ferocactus latispinus is one of the best varieties for a specimen. The central spine is broad, strongly hooked and generally red in color. Our plants are fully ribbed and have an abundant root system. They are 3" in diameter and several years old.

\$2

#### **MELOCACTUS**

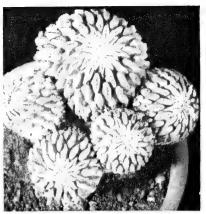
The Turk's Caps are one of the most striking of all cacti. After the plant reaches maturity it bears a red, fez-like flowering cephalium on top which grows longer yearly. It takes several years before the cephalium appears. They like a rich but very porous soil, a warm sunny position, moderate watering.

Melocatus mayoni A fine species from

Melocactus maxonii. A fine species from Cuatemala. Nice ......\$1 e.....\$1

M. townsendianus. From Peru Nice......\$

M. melocactoides. From Salvador, Brazil



PELECYPHORA ASELLIFORMIS

Extremely rare plants related to Mamillaria.

Have large bright purple-pink apical blossoms.

Sunny window and very sandy soil or sand and leafmold. Mature flowering imports.

\$1.25

Pelecyphora valdeziana. A rare species, white spined and smaller than the above. Mature imports \$1.50

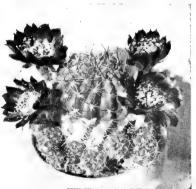


## **ECHINOCEREUS**

ico. Large 6 year \$1 \$1.50. Smaller.... \$1 The flowers of Echinocereus are large and brightly colored red, purple pink, yellow. Solitary or finger-clustered plants 4"-12" tall. Some are winter hardy. Rich porous soil, sunny location, moderate watering.

Echinocereus albispinosus. Long white spines.

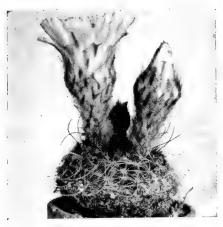
Echinocereus albispinosus. Long white spines.
Large pink flowers. Oklahoma species. 50c
E. amoenus. Rare. 75c
E. baileyi. Pink spines. Large pink blossoms
Very free flowering. 50c
E. chloranthus. Red and yellow spines. 75c
E. delaetii. Old Woman. Photo page 36
E. fendleri. Pink. Hardy. Small. 40c
E. maritimus. Yellow flowers. 50c
E. nocturniflorus. Tubular salmon pink. 50c
E. pectinatus. Pink flowers. 75c
E. papillosus. Yellow flowers. 60c
E. pensilis. Red, Rare. To 3 ft. \$1
E. polyacanthus, Red flowers. 75c
E. reichenbachii. Pink flowers. 50c
E. subterraneus. Pink flowers. Rare. 50c



LOBIVIA PAUCARTAMBENSIS

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A very bright crimson flowered new species. Flowers large, and produced from spring to November. Plants small up to  $1\frac{1}{2}$ " in diameter forming clusters. The offsets freely produced rooting while still attached to the mother. It flowered longer with me than any other species even in quite cold weather. Give it generous treatment and a rich porous soil. I found it on a barren hillside in grass at 12,000 feet elevation near Paucartambo,



#### SUN CUPS

Cheerful yellow blossoms in April and May. Notocactus tabularis bears flexible harmless spines on low ribs. A very easy plant to grow and flower. The plant reaches 2-3" in diameter and 2" high the blossoms coming from the young areoles in spring. Native of Uruguay. It has a vigorous root system and likes a rich, porous soil sunny location. Moderate

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#### **ECHINOCACTUS**

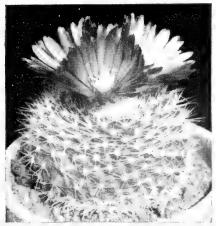
The true Barrel Cacti from Mexico. Some reach gigantic size up to 6' tall and 6' in circumference. They bear many ribs and have strong curved spines. Young plants bear nipples which gradually coalesce into ribs with age. Stems often blue. Give them a porous soil and full sun. Most will stand at least 20°

Echinocactus grandis. A huge species......75c E. grusonii. See page 36. 

#### **FEROCACTUS**

Splendid Barrel Cacti often reaching large size. Many have brightly colored spines. Culture as for Echinocactus.

Ferocactus acanthodes, Fire Barrel	50
F. coloratus	50
F. covillei	50
F. diguetii. The largest species. 4"	\$4.00
F. gracilis	50
F. herrerae	50
F. horridus	50
F. latispinus	50
F. melocactiformis	50
F. rectispinus. Longest spined cactus.	50
F. robustus. Cluster forming	
F. tortulospinus. Colorful yellow and re	
F. viridescens. California species	75
F. visnaga. Toothpick Barrel	



# CRIMSON PARODIA

Parodia sanguiniflora
Scintillating carmine or ruby-red blossoms in spring and early summer. A most lovely flower. Blossoms easily in sun or part shade even when small. Fine for the beginner. Give them a rich open soil and moderate watering.

50c

# **ISLAYA**

A small group of conical, ribbed cacti found in Peru. They grow generally on the pampas or rolling plains where it never rains but where or rolling plains where it never rains but where it is often foggy. Some also grow in the mountains in quite different conditions but depend mostly upon wet fogs for their moisture. Flowers yellow or red and they are free blooming. Give them a sunny location, rich porous soil and very moderate watering.

Islaya minor. Rare. Pretty

\$1

#### MATUCANA

Conical, ribbed cacti from the Andes of Peru. Bristly white spines and long tubed red blossoms. Several new species have lately been found. They grow at high elevations 6 to 14 thousand feet. Require same treatment as

Islaya.

Matucana violaciflora. From 14,000' \$1.50 elevation, Nice....

#### **GYMNOCACTUS**

Small, nippled cacti with pretty pink or white blossoms. Seldom seen in collections. Well worth the collectors attention. Culture as for Notocactus.



Pyrrhocactus tuberisulcatus has dark flame red flowers in late spring. It is a very spiny plant with low ribs the curved spines intricately interlaced. It likes a very sunny location, porous soil and moderate watering. It appreciates cactus food in summer. Nice 50c

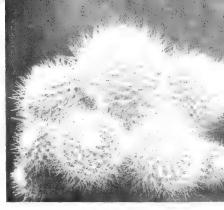


Mr. E. Jackson of Bradford, Yorks., has about 500 varieties which thrive in his greenhouse. Our English friends are fine growers and have excellent collections. Owing to their cool summers they cannot put their plants out of doors for long.

#### SOEHRENSIA

Large, globular, ribbed plants with handsome red or orange blossoms. Easily grown, strong rooted plants which flower freely after reaching flowering size.

S. korethroides. Ruby red blossoms. \$1.25.



SNOWY PARODIA

#### **GYMNOCALYCIUM** CHIN CACTUS

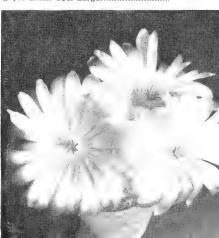
G. joosensianum. Pink. Rare. Large........\$1
G. leeanum. Yellow Chin. Yellow flowers 

Small

Large

50c

NOTOCACTUS MAMMULOSUS
This favorite has handsome, bright yellow blossoms. Surprisingly floriferous and gasily grown. Native of Uruguay. Likes a good porous loam, moderate to generous watering and flowers best in a sunny location. Stands considerable cold. It will repay you for your trouble. Large 5 years old flowering, in bud in early spring \$1. Small 35c. Larger.





#### **ECHINOMASTUS**

Mexican and S. Western cacti from very dry regions and generally heavily spined. Plants conical, the ribs tubercled. Grow in a very sandy compost, full sun very moderate watering. All offered are imported mature Mexican plants.

Echinomastus chihuahuen-s. Imported ...........\$1.50 sis. Imported

E. durangensis. Imported \$1.50

E. mcdowellii. Handsome white spined species.......\$2

E. mapemensis. Imported. \$1.50

#### **OROYA**

Handsome plants with bright yellow or red spines from the high Andes of Peru. Ribbed and tubercled, globose plants. Give them a sunny location, rich porous soil and moderate waterings.

Oroya lutea. Handsome bright yellow spines. 4 years. \$2

## **NOTOCACTUS** BALL CACTI

Some of the most fascinating and lovely cacti are in this group. The beginner is at home with them for they will grow under varied conditions and flower quite freely. They make fine, long-lived specimen plants. None grow too large for the small collection. Give them a rich, porous soil and during the spring and summer sufficient water and cactus food to keep them plump and growing. They bloom in late spring.

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Notocactus apricus. SUN CUPS. Large yellow blo	05-
soms. Large 5 years old. \$1.50. Smaller 35c and5	0c
N. caespitosus. Rare species. Flowering size5	0 <i>c</i>
N. concinnus. Rare species. Flowering	
N. floricomus. Rare species. Flowering	
N. floricomus velanovskii. Flowering specimens\$1.	
N. graessneri. YELLOW BALL. Handsome clear ye	
low spines. Small 35c-50c. Larger	50
N. grossei. Large species, Small 50c. Larger7	
N. hasselbergii stellatus. New	<b>51</b>
N. leninghausii. Color plate page 28	
N. linckii. Yellow flowers5	0c
N. muricatus. Scarce. Large \$1.257	5 c
N. ottonis. INDIAN HEAD. Color plate 36.	-
N. ottonis longispinus	5.
N. rutilans. PINK BALL. Pink flowers	
N. schumannianus, GIANT BALL. Large 2"-3" \$	
N. scopa. Silver Ball5	Uc



#### **RED CROWN CACTUS**





#### WALLFLOWER CROWN

A charming plant Rebutia pseudo-deminuta has dark red flowers in the spring. Easy to grow and soon branch into clusters. A light window or full sun. Moderate watering. 50c



#### NOTOCACTUS PAMPEANUS

NOIOCACIUS PAMPEANUS
Bright golden yellow blossoms in late spring. Easily grown and flow-ered. Thrives in a sunny window liking a rich porous soil and moderate amounts of water. Native of Uruguay. Flowering 6 year old specimens \$1.25. Small 35c.

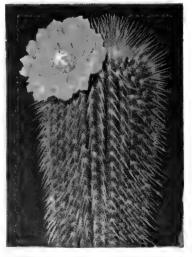
Small flowering size... 50c



PINK EASTER LILY

A free flowering, quick growing cactus winter hardy if well protected by snow. Echinopsis multiplex bears 6" lovely Easter Lily-like pink trumpets. Will flower several times during late spring and summer. Remove offsets as they appear to keep flowering vigor. Sun or part shade, rich soil and generous watering. Flowering size 75c. Small 35c.

50c

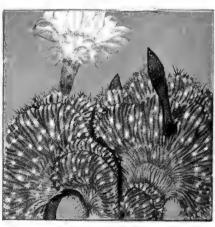


JOSEPH'S COAT

COLDEN BALL

A handsome plant with glittering golden harmless bristles. Notocactus leninghausii does well for everyone. The yellow blossoms are cheerful in late spring. A rich porous soil moderate to generous watering, sunny window. 2-3" specimens \$1. Small 35c.

3 year old



#### THE CRESTED HEDGE HOG Echinopsis multiplex cristata

Crested cacti are the beauties and curiosities of the plant world. As you may see they do not look at all like ordinary cacti but assume a currious ruffled growth bending and curving into beautiful fluted piles. Same care as Pink Easter Lily. This is a rare plant. Nice bright \$1.50 crest on their own roots. Special......



#### SCARLET CROWN CACTUS

2/5 Natural size

#### **NEOPORTERIA**

Many commence their flowering season in November and continue until January. Their charming bright red-pink flowers are particularly welcome at this time. Others are spring flowering. Conical ribbed plants from 2" to 8" tall native to Chile. Give them a rich porous soil moderate watering and a sunny position.

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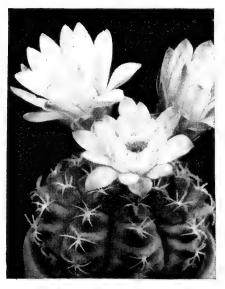
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Large					\$1.25 flow-

	castanioides.			
N.	fusca. Dark	colored	plants with	large pale
yellov	w or pinkish	flowers	. Flowering	size <b>75c</b>
N.	heteracantha	. Deep	pink bloss	oms in the

. N.	heteraca	intha.	Deep	pink	prossoms	111	the
fall .							75c
N.	mamilla	rioides.	. Ligh	t pink	flowers.	2"	75c
N.	napina.	Cuttin	gs fo	r graf	ting		75c

N.	napina. (	uttings	ior g	graiting		/5c
N.	nidus. Ph	oto page	30.			
	nigricans.	Almost	black	plant.	Flowers	large

N. reichei.	Curious	fat g	reen 1	plant with
minute spines	yellow fl-	owers. (	Cuttings	for graft-
ing				75c
N. subgibbo	ea. Pink	blosson	is in f	all75c



#### DAM'S CHIN CACTUS

#### **MALACOCARPUS**

These fine vigorous cacti are These fine vigorous cacti are native to Argentina, Brazil and Uruguay. They are simple, flattened globes, woolly at the apex and with sharp ribs. The blossoms are large, bright yellow. Give them a rich porous soil, sunny location moderate watering.

М.	arechavaleta	i. Ra	are.	Small
plants	only			75с
М.	corynodes			75c
M.	erinaceus. L	arge		\$1.50
M.	kovaricii, F	lowe	ring	size.
			_	\$1
M.	pauciareolati	us.	Large	\$1.
Small				50c
M.	sellowii. La	rge	\$1.	Small
		_		50c
M.	vorwerkianu	s. S	mali	spe-
cies t	from Colomb	ia		75c

#### **THELOCACTUS**

Handsome flowering, conical plants from Texas and Mexico. Give them a porous sandy soil, sunny location, moderate watering

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nens <b>T</b> .				\$1 75c
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				\$1.50
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T.	pottsii.	Larg	ge	\$1.25 75c
Τ.	schwar	zii. L	arge	\$1.25
т.	tulensis	. La	rge	\$1,25



#### MEXICAN LIVING ROCK



#### **GOAT'S HORN**

Astrophytum capricorne

LOBIVIA For the beginner these are a "must have" group. The flowers are beautiful in lovely shades of pink, red and yellow. They bloom incredibly freely when their simple wants are met. They like a sunny location and a rich porous soil. Native to the high mountains of South America they stand considerable cold and should be wintered in a cool place such as a basement near a window.

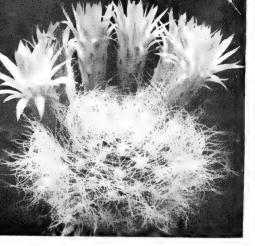
window, or frost free room. Lobivia allegraiana. Red flowered, clustering.........75c L. astranthema. Yellow flowered. 50c
L. ayacuchensis. Large new species. \$1
L. backebergii. Red flowered. 75c
L. binghamiana. Red. Clustering. 50c
L. boliviensis. Red. Clustering. 75c
L. calcensis. From Calca, Peru. 50c L. calcensis. From Calca, Peru. 50c
L. chrysochaete. Lovely yellow 50c
L. churinensis. Tubular red flowers. 50c
L. cinnabarina. Large plant. 3-4" specimens. \$1.50
L. corbuta. Orange red. From Juliaca. 50c
L. cylindrica, Yellow flowers. 50c
L. densispina. Large yellow flowers 2-3". \$1
L. famatimensis nigricans. Almost black body. 75c



#### RISHOP'S CAP

A popular spineless cactus for every collection and very easy to grow. Astrophytum myriostigma flowers freely all summer. Sunny location, moderate watering. Large  $2 \cdot 2^1/2^n$  3 years \$1.25. Nice plants.





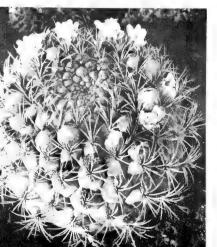
#### CHILEAN OLD LADY

# REBUTIA

CROWN CACTI
On pages 28 and 29 are colored pictures of Crown Cacti. Those listed here are just as handsome but there is not room enough to feature all of them. The blossoms are bright and the plants differ among themselves considerably. Try them and you will be pleased. Give them a rich porous soil, moderate to generous waterings and a sunny position:

Rebutia aureiflora. Orange yellow........80c

110	butia aureiflora. Orange yellow	80c
R.	chrysacantha. Red flowers	60c
R.	costata, Red. Unique	75c
R.	dasyphrissa. Handsome red	750
R.	digitiformis, Clustering, Red	75c
R.	duursmaiana. Very rare	\$1
R.	elegans. Dark red	500
R.	fiebrigii. Vigorous. Deep red	750
R.	grandiflora. Color plate page 29.	, 50
R.	krainziana, Dark red Distinct	750
R.	kupperiana, Vivid red	75.0
R.	Lemon Queen. Lemon yellow flowe	rc A
form	of R. chrysacantha	75.
R.	nigricans. Clustering. Red	75c
R.	pseudodeminuta. Color page 28.	
R.	pseudodeminuta var. schumanniana.	Via-
orous	with dark red flowers	750
R.	pseudominuscula. Deepest red	7.5
R.		
	pygmaea. Finger-like stems	75c
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#### **ECHINOPSIS**

#### Easter Lily Cacti

Favorites because they flower for everyone and the blossoms are large and colorful. Vigorous rooted plants fine for pot culture or for planting out where temperatures don't get below 24° above zero. Give them a rich porous soil a sunny loca-

tion and moderate waterings.

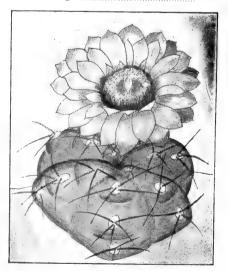
Echinopsis ancistrophora. Photo page 36. Smaller 500 



RAINBOW CHIN CACTUS

The colorful Gymnocalycium baldianum (G. venturianum) varies from pale pink through various shades of red to brilliant ruby red. They are quite free in flower and are found in bloom all spring and early summer. Small 35c. 4 vears old \$1.

Nice flowering.

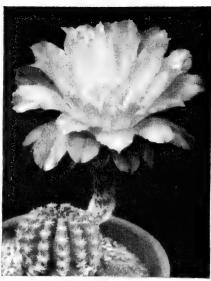


OURSEL'S CHIN

A vigorous plant reaching 3 inches in diameter. Flowers white, sometimes pink quite large and opening widely. Most attractive. Gymnocalyclum ourselianum. Nice small specimens 2"

50c

50c



RED PARAMOUNT

Blossoms vary in intensity of coloring at different seasons from orange to bright red. A vigorous, free flowering variety. The plant is dark green with short spines on the ribs. Flowers during late spring and summer. Fine \$1.25

Ec	hinopsis polyancistra. Huge white	flow-
E. E.	ritteri. Huge species large flowers smrziana. Clustering. White. Nice spiniflora. Very spiny. White.	50d
Ε.	sylvestrii. White tubiflora. New Argentine import tucumanensis. Clustering	75c

#### **COCHEMIEA**

A fine group with scarlet flowers, clustered, tubercled stems.



#### CHILEAN PINK BARREL

CHILEAN PINK BARREL
Bright pink blossoms appearing from February
to May. Neoporteria subgibbosa is a spiny cactus
to the connoisseur growing to a foot tall. Many
flowers are produced in succession of a most
lively color. Quite easy to grow enjoying full
sun, moderate watering. Small

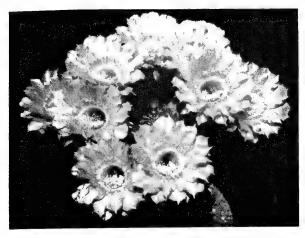
50c

#### **PARODIA**

# WEINGARTIA

Fine plants with tubercled ribs. Flowers are deep golden yellow. Enjoy a rich but porous soil, sunny location, moderate watering.

Weingartia cumingii. Handsome globular plant bearing rich cadmium yellow flowers in abundance. Stands much cold. Bolivia. Large \$2.5 mail 75c. \$2. Small 75c.



# PARAMOUNT HYBRIDS

HESE bright blossoming cacti flower much more freely for the beginner than some of the well known older species. They are very strong rooted having hybrid vigor. The colors range from pink through various shades of shrimp and salmon to brilliant red, tangerine, strawberry pink, golden yellow a kaleidoscope of color. The flowers of the Monarch type are 6" to 8" long and extremely

freely borne.

**Culture.** They do best in a rather rich loam soil with moderate to generous waterings particularly in summer when growing. Give full

Orange Paramount. See photo below.

Orange Paramount. See photo below.

Red Paramount. Opposite page.

Tangerine. Brilliant tangerine. A vivid, lovely flower 5"-6". Plant strong with dark spines. Stock limited \$2.50

Flufty Ruffles. Ruffled 6" flowers flushed glowing orange. Free flowering vigorous \$1.50

Sunset. Red with violet overlay the petals with pale yellow central stripe. 6" blossoms.

\$1.50

Salmon Queen. Rich salmon pink 6" flow-

ers. Very vigorous grower......\$1

Orange Glory. Brilliant glowing orange. Flowers short tubed 21/2" in diameter. Stock very

limited \$2.50

Dainty Bess. A small, freely flowering variety with red blossoms. Stock limited. \$1.25

Peach Monarch. Sold out for this year.

Red Pygmy. Pretty red blossoms very freely

#### PARAMOUNT ASSORTMENT COLLECTION F12

Paramount Hybrid seedlings assorted good quality that flowered in 1957. Choice colors assorted. Strong plants, 3 for...



#### GIANT EASTER LILY CACTUS

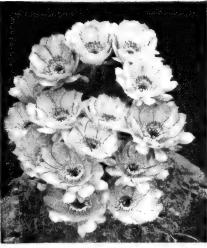
Echinopsis ritteri bears 8" snowy-white blossoms several times during spring and early summer. Plant may reach 8" or more in diameter and 12" tall. A vigorous grower liking a rich soil. Flowers best in full sun.

50c



#### SETIECHINOPSIS MIRABILIS

The "Flor de Oracion" of Argentina. An interesting small plant 2" to 3" tall and the thickness of your finger. Almost black in color. The very tall, slender, white flowers open in the evening. Blossoms freely. Flowering 50c size each



#### LOBIVIA LATERITIA

Large red blossoms borne in spring. Plants cespitose with low ribs. Flowers very freely. An easily grown variety suitable for the beginner. Rich porous loam, moderate to generous watering, sunny, location.



#### TEXAS COLLECTION

Texas has many nice cactus collections and several new Cactus Clubs have joined with our National Society. The collection shown here is that of Mrs. Jess Wallace of Henderson. This is only a part of those assembled in 3 years.

#### **HAMATOCACTUS**

Pretty Texas plants that flower very freely. They are conical, ribbed plants with hooked spines and yellow flowers.

Hamatocactus hamatacanthus. A large species reaching 12 inches in height. A fine specimen plant with large yellow blossoms. Central spine long, hooked. Each.................................50c

H. setispinus. Color plate page 24.



#### ECHINOPSIS LOS ANGELES



#### PINK BALL CACTUS

The only Notocactus with pink blossoms. A truly lovely plant which blossoms for everyone. Flowers 1½" in diameter bright pink with a yellow throat the petals like satin. Charming It likes a good rich, well drained soil and a sunny location, moderate to generous watering. Notocactus rutilans 3 year blooming size.

#### ORANGE PARAMOUNT

Extremely free flowering variety with lovely orange yellow blossoms. A pretty, deep green plant almost spineless. Flowers well even when young. Give it a rich loam soil repotting as necessary, watering generously during the summer. Likes full sun. Small \$1.



#### HEDGE HOG CEREUS

A particularly beautiful flowered cactus from Texas. Echinocereus pentalophus has short, spiny, finger-like stems forming clusters. The 4" brilliantly colored blossoms are far larger and brighter than the illustration shows.

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#### **ARTHROCEREUS**

Small cereus with long-tubed white or pink nocturnal flowers.

Arthrocereus microsphaericus. Many jointed.

A. rondonianus, Slender, Flowers pink..\$1.50

# **ACANTHOCEREUS**

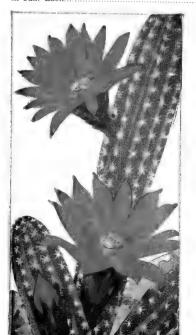
Spiny	partly	climbing	night	flowering	cereus.
Ac	anthocere	eus colon	nbianus		75c
Α.	horridus				75c
A.	pentagor	1us			75c

# **ARMATOCEREUS**

Spiny tree cerei from Peru,

matocereus	arm	natus		\$1
chalaensis				ŚÌ
matucanen	sis			/5 c
mocupensis				150
nazcaensis				\$1
solitarius				\$1
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#### PEANUT CACTUS



# CEREUS and Its Allies

A NOBLE and greatly diversified group of cacti distributed over the warmer parts of North and South America. They may be fingersized plants to great trees up to 64' tall weighing many tons; or they may be slender climbers opening their huge white chalices to the tropic moon. The tree-like forms as the Sahuaro give a distinctive atmosphere to western deserts, Mexico, Central and South America all have their characteristic kinds. The flowers are often large, mostly night flowering to attract the moths which pollinate them. In South America I have seen humming birds flitting from flower to flower in the grey light of early dawn and along the Amazon the parrots grow fat eating the green fruits.

#### **PENIOCEREUS**

Very handsome night blooming cerei the large white flowers very fragrant. Root tu-berous weighing up to 50 pounds.

Peniocereus greggii. ce 2"-3"................................75c P. johnstonii. Rare. \$2.50



#### PAPER SPINED OPUNTIA

An odd cactus from Argentina. Tephrocactus glomeratus bears paper ribands instead of spines! The joints come apart easily and each will root if planted in sand in a very sunny location. Give moderate waterings in summer. ate waterings in summer, less in winter. Each......



#### SCARLET BUGLER

#### **AZUREOCEREUS**

Tal	I columnar	cerei	with	bright	blue	stems.
	ureocereus					
Α.	imperialis.	The ha	andso	mest of	cacti	\$1.50
Δ.	hertlingian	us. To	20	feet		\$3.50

#### WILCOXIA

Small Mexican cerei with very pretty blossoms. Small plants flower freely.

Wil	coxia aust	tralis. Pink. Grafted	\$1
W.	diguetii.	(Neoevansia), Rare	Š١
W.	maculata		50
W.	papillosa	(senilis). Pink	\$1
W.	poselgeri.	Dark pink, Grafted	Ši
W.	schmollii.	Grafted	ši
		nsis. Grafted	
		Red. Grafted	



#### AN INDIANA COLLECTION

Martin Hamlett of Peru, Indiana has a very nice collection of cacti. Most of his plants came from our nursery others he has traded with friends. A great part of the fun of collecting comes from the many friends one makes. Collectors generally enjoy sharing their experiences and writing to other fanciers.



# **New Peanut Cactus**

A nice new variety with large deep red, frilly flowers. The stems are stouter and do not fall apart. Free flowering. Very easy to grow forming large clusters up to 12". This is a hybrid between Orange Glory and the Peanut cactus. Rich porous soil, sunny location. Each ..... 50c

#### **BORZICACTUS**

Andean cerei with tubular red blossoms.
Plants 2'-5' tall, clustering or with short trunk.
Borzicactus sepium. Ecuador \$1.25
B. tesselatus. Peru. New. \$2.00
B. fieldianus. Peru. Tall. \$2.00

#### **CEPHALOCEREUS** OLD MEN CACTI

Cephalocereus arrabidae ......75c C. mescalaensis ......75c C. nobilis ......75c C. palmeri ......50c C. polylophus \$1 C. royenii .....\$1

## CULTURE OF CEREI

M OST of this group do very well under almost all average conditions. Their root sysalmost all average conditions. Their root systems are vigorous and if the plants are not too persistently overwatered they give a good account of themselves. They like the same type of soil as other cacti: a reasonably rich but quite porous compost or soil through which water drains quickly. Coarse, porous soils allow air to penetrate freely to the roots preventing rot. A good basic compost is 1 part crumbly loam, 1 part coarse sand, 1 part leafmold or peatmoss. This may be varied to suit your own requirements. Granulated charcoal is very useful as is perlite sometimes sold unis very useful as is perlite sometimes sold un-der the name of Spongerok. They can take the place of part of the sand with great





#### RATTAIL CACTUS

Aporocactus flagelliformis is an old favorite. Beautiful large pink blossoms on pendent stems. Rich porous soil.

#### **CLEISTOCACTUS**

A large group of small columnar or clustered cacti with tubular red blossoms from the Andes of S. America.

eistocactus baumannii. Scarlet Bugler50
candilla. New species\$
dependens. New\$
herzogianus. To 8'75
luminosus, Fiery red75
luribayensis, New\$
morawetzianus, To 8, tall
smaragdiflorus. Red and green75
tariopensis. New\$
tupizensis. Fine

#### CORRYOCACTUS

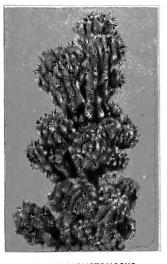
Co	rryocactus	brevistyl		\$1
C.	tristis		 	 \$1
C.	melanotric	hus	 	 \$1

#### CEREUS

A large group of tree cerei some reaching 50° others are sprawling. Night flowering often with large edible fruits. They grow rapidly and make wonderful branched specimens. Stand 10° or more of frost.

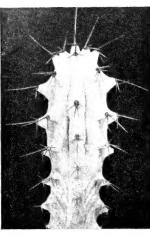
C. argentinensis. To 35' 4"-6"	50c
C. azureus. Bright blue stems. 6"	\$1
C. forbesii. Very long spines	50c
C. horridus, Tall tree	50c
C. horridus macrocarpus. The finest	edible
fruited variety. Large, smooth red fru to 12 oz. Sweet, crisp white pulp	its up <b>50c</b>
C. huntingtonianus. Reddish flowers,	pur-
ple fruit, crimson pulp!	
C. lepidotus. Tall tree	
C. Ilanosii. Small tree	50c





#### CEREUS MONSTRUOSUS

A strange and monstrous cactus attracting the attention of all who see it. They grow more upright than the Curiosity Plant and form most unusual specimens. As easy to grow as any cactus and never lose their peculiar manner of growth. Plants \$1. Smaller 60c Cereus obtusus. Short sprawling stems. 75c C. pernambucensis. Short stems. 75c C. vargasianus. To 50′ \$1 C. variabilis. Woolly white areoles. 75c C. xanthocarpus. Tall tree. 50c



#### LEMAIREOCEREUS BENECKII

small

QUEEN OF THE MIGHT
An old favorite whose blossoms
are so astoundingly large and
etherally beautiful your friends will
be entranced when they see it. Se-
lenicereus macdonaldiae is of the
easiest culture. Give it a sunny
location but protect from the hot
midday sun. It likes a rich porous,
spongy soil and in summer water
well. Larger plants 12"-18" 50c
\$1. Small

QUEEN OF THE NIGHT

#### **CHAMAECEREUS**

There are several varieties of the Peanut Cactus now available. Chamaecereus Jumbo. A larger form

#### **EULYCHNIA**

Chilean plants branching mostly from the base. Flowers white, diurnal. Plants very spiny. **Eulychnia castanea.** An interest-

#### MOON CACTI ERIOCEREUS

#### WHITE TORCH CACTUS

MHIFE TORCH CACTUS

Beautiful, popular and exceedingly easy to grow. Trichocereus spachianus is a quick grower. Snowy blossoms 6" across. Branches freely from base forming nice colonies. Fine stock to graft on. Will stand 15° above. Small 2" 35c.

Larger 4"-6".



SAMAIPATICEREUS Samaipaticereus bolivianus, Slender erect cerei with white nocturnal flowers...........\$1

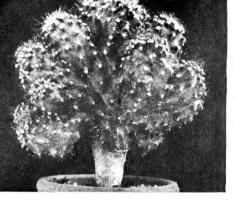
S. peruvianus. A new species from east central Peru .............\$1

**BOLIVICEREUS Bolivicereus samaipatanus.** Slender small clustering cerei with 18" stems and yellow

PRINCESS OF THE NICHT
A glorious white and gold blossom 10" across. A fine night flowering cereus for the window garden. Selenicereus pteranthus can be readily flowered. Use a spongy, sandy loam soil or our Jungle Mix modified. Harden growth in later summer with sunshine and less water.

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#### CURIOSITY PLANT

These novel and attractive cacti never lose their odd contorted growth. They are always pretty with their harmless bright chestnut spines and living green stems. Cereus peruvianus monstruosus may with age reach 8 feet in height. In pots it remains dwarf. Our plants are all very monstruost. Large \$1.50. Specimens 4"

50c

#### **ERDISIA**

A group of slender 2'-3' tall Cerei from the highlands of Peru. The short-tubed brilliant red blossoms are lovely.

Er	disia limita	ambensis	\$1.25
E.	pericotens	is. Grafted	\$1.25
Ε.	tuberosa.	Grafted	\$1.25
E.	squarrosa		\$1.00



A large flowered group of S. American cacti of easy culture and fast growth. Like a rich porous soil, sunny location.

<b>=</b> 1.1
Trichocereus akersii. Handsome white haired
plants with salmon pink flowers
T. bridgesii. Blue stems, 6" cuttings\$1
T. cuzcoensis. Blue stems
T. fascicularis, Tall, spiny, Peru
T. gladiatus. Handsome clustered. Nice 50c
T. huanucoensis. Giant 50c
T. infundibuliformis, 15'. New75c
T. knuthianus, 6" cuttings\$2
T. lamprochlorous. Large flowered\$1
T. litoralis. Branched
T. lucernatus. New \$1.50
T. macrogonus. Huge flowers. 6" cuts\$2
T. pachanoi. Spineless. 6" cuts\$1.50
T. pasacana. Large, columnar50c
T. poco. Handsome red flowers50c
T. purpureopilosus. Creeping50c
T. santiaguensis. Handsome blossoms50c
T. shaferi
T. thelogonus 50c

#### **ESPOSTOA**

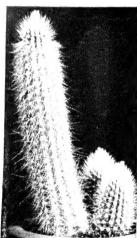
Esp	ostoa	chilete	ensis.	Pinki	sh h	air	\$1
		coensis					
		onensis					
Ε.	mocup	ensis.	Reddi	sh sp	ines	7"	.\$1.50

#### WEBEROCEREUS

We	berocereus	biolleyi.	Small	climber	50c
W.	trichotus,	Handsom	ne clir	nber	50c

#### WERCKLEOCEREUS

We	rckleocere	us glab	er. W	hite	flower	′s <b>75</b> c
W.	tonduzii.	Large	white	flov	wers	\$1



# AT LEFT:

# WOOLLY TORCH

A handsome Mexican tree cereus to 15'. Stems pow-dered blue in older plants. Masses of white silky hair produced on flowering branches. Cephalocereus pal-meri grows rather 50c

#### AT RIGHT:

#### SILVER TORCH

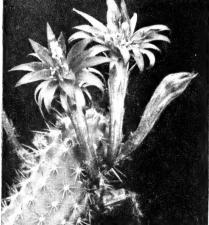
Pretty fluted columns thickly clothed with silvery white, hair-like spines. Cleistocactus strausii branches freely from the base. The tubular red flowers are borne abundantly. Grows to 3 feet. Each 35c. Each 35c



#### OLD MAN CACTUS

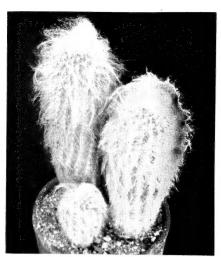
The long snowy hair of the venerable Cephalocereus senilis makes it much sought after. No collection should be without it. Even tiny plants have the long hair. Native to Mexico. Give it a sunny location and a very porous soil 50c watering only when dry. Each

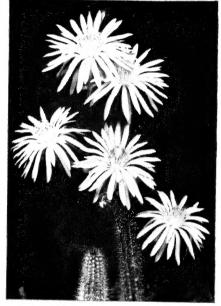




#### SCARLET SEA CEREUS

A nice flowering cactus forming small clusters. Maritinocereus nanus flowers persistently throughout the summer. The dainty blossoms are flery scarlet 3" long 114" wide. I recommend it as an easily flowered plant for the beginner. Give it a rich loam soil, moderate watering and a sunny position. 2 year old beginning 75c cluster each.





FRAGRANT NIGHT FLOWERING CEREUS
An old favorite with very beautiful creamy
white blossoms of large size. Nyctocereus serpentinus is deliciously fragrant scenting the
whole garden. Stems columnar, fluted. A handsome plant. Requires a rich soil and full sun.
Give generous treatment repotting
as needed. Each.

### **HAAGEOCEREUS**

Peruvian cacti some creeping some forming clusters to 4'. Often golden spined. Flowers

Ha	ageocereus acranthus 6"-7"	61.25
H.	arenosa. Red brown spines	75.
н.	chosicensis, Tall	50c
н.	platinospinus. Creeping	750
H.	stellaspinus. Tall	50c
п.	tomasiriensis. Creeping	50c

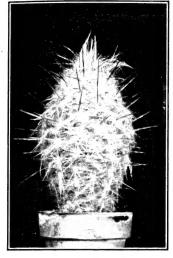
#### HARRISIA

Bushy cacti with white nocturnal flowers

#### **LOPHOCEREUS**

#### **MACHAEROCEREUS**

Creeping or bushy cacti from Baja California. Machaerocereus eruca. Creeping Devil. Creeping stems to 10°. Certainly one of the oddest of all cacti. Lays flat on the ground rooting as it goes. 4"-5".



#### OLD MAN OF THE MOUNTAIN

#### **OREOCEREUS**

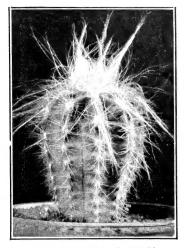
O. hendricksenianus. Lovely. Small........75c

#### MORAWETZIA DOELZIANA

#### **LOXANTHOCEREUS**

Pretty clustering cerei to 18". Flowers tubular, bright red, free flowering. Loxanthocereus eriotrichus......\$1

L. faustianus



#### HYLOCEREUS

Huge flowered Night Blooming Cerei with triangular, climbing stems.

TCITTE	Sulai, Chinon	is sicilis.		
Ну	locereus bro	nxensis		\$1.25
H.	calcaratus			\$1
H.	costaricensis			\$1
Н.	extensis			75c
н.	guatemalens	is		\$1
н.	ocamponis			\$1
н.	peruvianus			\$1
н.	stenopteris.	Flowers	bright	red!\$1.25
н.	undatus			\$1

#### **MEDIOCACTUS**

Tall, climbing Night Blooming Cerei, huge white blossoms.

Mediocactus coco	ineus	\$1
M. megalanthus,	Huge	blossoms!\$1

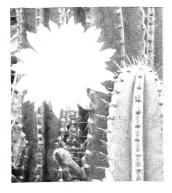


# AT LEFT:

7" 60c. 40c

#### AT RIGHT:

AT RIGHT:
CEREUS MILESSIMUS
Fine tree cereus
with snowy blossoms
bright red tasty fruits.
A quick growing pot
plant. Large specimens
may be 10' tall and
much branched. Stands
10° of frost or more.
6"-7" 60c.
Mol. Small.



#### **SELENICEREUS**

Night Blooming Cerei with round stems and

uge Se	white flowers.  lenicereus coniflorus,	Spiny	.75c
S.	donkelaarii. Yucatan hamatus		.75c
5	hondurensis		.75c
S.	maxonii murrillii		.75c
S.	paraguayensis. New	species	\$1
S.	spinulosus urbanianus		.75c
Š.	werklei		50c
		CEDELLE	

#### LEMAIREOCEREUS

Generally tall tree cereus branching from base

35C.		2.2
Le	maireocereus beneckii. Photo page	33.
	chichipe	
	Citteripe	25.
L.	dumortieri, 50c and	30C
L.	griseus. From Curacao	40c
L.	hollianus	50c
	littoralis	
	martinezi. 10" to 12" specimens	
	stellatus. 50c and	
L.	thurberi, 6"-8" specimens	\$1
L.	weberi. Huge species	75 с



DAYAM'S TREE CEREUS

One of the best fruiting and flowering kinds. Bears big tomato-like, half pound fruits which are quite fragrant and delicious, the pulp crystalline white and sweet. Tree-like in habit making a good pot plant. 6"-7" 60c.

Cereus dayamii. Nice. 40c

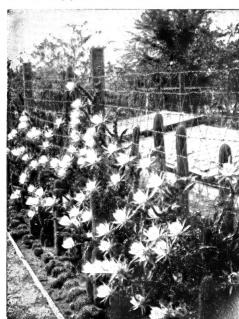


#### ECHINOCEREUS CINERASCENS

#### MONVILLEA

Pretty S. American cerei with large white nocturnal flowers.

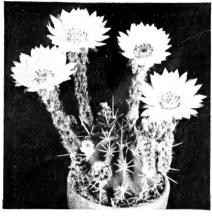
nvillea diffus	sa. Fine	species	50c
exaltata. Nev	v Peru. 1	8'	\$1
mocupensis.	New Pe	ru	\$1
spegazzinii.	Marbled	blue!	50c
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#### A MARYLAND CACTUS COLLECTION

Mrs. Lona Ellifritz of Vindex, Md., has over 100 kinds in her nice collection. She writes that her Starfish Flower was in bloom all winter and summer. Many of her other plants have flowered also. The tall Peruvian Apple Cactus at the left is now over 6'.



ANCEL TRUMPETS

A pretty, small cactus, Echinopsis spiniflora bears many white blossoms. Plant bright green with long brown spines. Flowers nocturnal but remain open till late morning. Very porous soil, moderate watering. Sunny location. Nice......



#### **GOLDEN BARREL**

Bright yellow spines, Echinocactus grusonii is a very popular plant in large sizes. It takes several years to characterize. A rich but very porous soil, sunny location and moderate watering. Large plants from \$7.50 to \$35.00 F.O.B. Paramount. Nice golden plants \$2.50

# **MYRTILLOCACTUS**

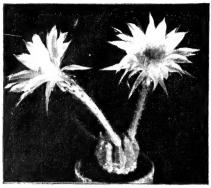
м.	geometriza	ns. Blue	stems	50c
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М.	schenckii.	Green	stems	40с

## **THRIXANTHOCEREUS**



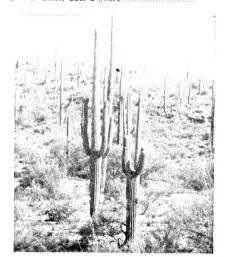
#### SNOWBALL CACTUS

A choice Peruvian cactus. Pseudoespostoa melanostele, grows in the dry valleys of the Andes. Snowy white and covered with a soft, cotton-like fleece it makes a superb specimen plant. Very slow growing. May reach 6' in height though generally less, branching at base. At flowering a copious rust red pseudocephalium is produced, Large 9 year old 6" perfect \$1 specimens \$1.50. Smaller 5 years.



#### ROSE EASTER LILY CACTUS





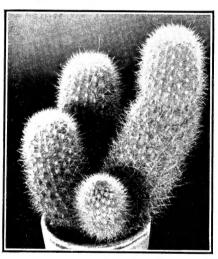
#### SUHUARO

The Arizona Giant, Carnegiea gigantea, is one of the largest cacti. It may reach 40°. The very sweet red fruits as well as the seeds formed a part of the Indian's food. 6 year old. 40c plants 4"-6" \$2. Small 1"

#### MEXICAN GIANT CEREUS

Pachycereus pringlei may reach 60' in height. 6"-7".... \$1.50





FOXTALL

Haageocereus multangularis is a handsome cactus columnar and clustering from the base the spines golden or russet. Large white nocturnal blossoms. Nice 3-5"

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#### **PYGMAEOCEREUS**

The tiniest cereus. In nature the plants are often ½" tall. Tuberous rooted. P. akersii. The smallest, ½"-2" 75c. P. napinus \$1. P. nycticallis \$1. P. vespertinus. New sp. \$1.25.

